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"HOME COMING DAY"

Will Be Observed in Connection With "Old People's Day."

TWO BIG HAPPY DAYS JUNE 26-7

Bradford County Historical Society is Making Big Plans on Entertaining Old People and Home Comers Next Month.

The June meeting of the Bradford County Historical society for the past four years has been devoted to the Old People, and has been such a success in attendance and otherwise, that this year the society will have in connection with "Old People's Day" a "Home-Coming Day" on the day before the old people meet. The committee having the matter in charge have decided to hold a meeting on Friday, June 26, to be devoted to those who have been away from the county and have come to see the folks in Bradford, and again get in touch with things at home.

For this purpose there will be an informal meeting at the society's rooms at 10:30 in the forenoon to welcome and receive the visiting natives. At 1:30 or 2 o'clock p. m. a meeting will be held at which the officers and committee will extend the greetings of the society to all visitors. President John C. Ingham will make a welcoming address. Hon. James H. Codding of New York city, will respond. Remarks will be made by others—natives of Bradford county—who will "come home." After these exercises, music, hand-shaking and sociability.

Bradford countians are scattered all over this country and each one is invited to "come home" and meet with the people here and again greet those of your old friends and acquaintances. Come, and if you don't recognize your old neighbor members of the committee will introduce you and you will enjoy immensely talking over the childhood and boyhood experiences, scenes and acquaintances. The society will endeavor to make it pleasant and profitable for you and your friends at home.

"Old People's Day" will be observed the next day, Saturday, June 27. Automobiles will be at all incoming trains in the forenoon, to convey all the old people to the society's rooms where they will be given a free auto ride. The old people's meeting will be held in the opera house in the afternoon; address of welcome and response will take place there, as well as singing and music by old and young; exercises in which the "old timers" will do the "stunts;" a military drill, first defenders, martial music, and other appropriate exercises will take place. Badges will be given to all over 70 years old who attend this meeting. A suitable prize will be given to the oldest gentleman and the oldest lady present.

This "Home-Coming Day" is a new feature and it is believed that the native residents will notify all non-residents, native relatives of this gathering, so that they can meet and greet each other on June 26, and then attend the "Old People's Day" and see the array of "Old Timers" in Bradford county has within its borders.

Make your arrangements now to be on hand. Everybody invited to attend the meetings.

$12,500 FOR INJURIES.

W. P. Weiss Gets a Large Verdict in Arbitration With Railroad.

The case of W. P. Weiss vs. the Lehigh Valley Railroad company was tried before arbitrators last week, the arbitration board being composed of B. W. Lewis, George Baldwin, and S. W. Eysenbach. The case was brought to recover for injuries received by the plaintiff in a collision on the Montrose branch on Sept. 14, 1907.

The hearing occupied three days, a number of witnesses being examined, and counsel on both sides arguing the matter. It was shown, according to the testimony, that Weiss is now subject to epileptic fits caused by injuries upon his head, and that he is practically disabled on that account. The verdict, which was handed in on Monday, gives him an award of $12,500.—Tunkhannock Republican-New Age.

High School Walloped.

The Towanda high school team went to Sayre Saturday and were walloped by the high school team of the shop town by the score of 14-5, Towanda's battery was Smith, Vought and McCracken. McCracken was the star of the game. He was at bat four times, made four hits and three runs.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued on Saturday to Lewis Hibbard and Martha Emery, both of Sayre; Harrison Keene and Nellie Wilcox, both of Towanda.

REMARKABLE, WELL YES.

Cow Killed for Beef Had Assortment of Hardware in Her Stomach.

George M. Gilbert of Franklindale, one of Bradford county's best known and most highly regarded citizens, was in Towanda Saturday and vouched for the truthfulness of every word in this article, which pertains to a remarkable cow recently butchered on the Gilbert farm at Franklindale.

Seven years ago, Mr. Gilbert purchased a three years old heifer of Captain G. W. Kilmer, who at that time was a resident of Asylum township, but now lives on William street in Towanda. The heifer was a stocky, healthy animal, and was considered the best in the entire herd kept by Mr. Gilbert.

Recently, while the cow was still in the best of health, Mr. Gilbert killed her for beef. Every part of the animal was in perfect condition, and the butchers stated at the time that it was one of the most perfect specimens they had ever seen, every organ being found perfect and in a healthy condition, and the flesh was hard and firm in every respect.

When the stomach was opened, the butchers found a surprise, as laying loose in the stomach was found the following assortment of hardware:

Six new wire fence staples.

Six nails of different sizes and pieces of nails.

One seven-penny box nail.

One new eight-penny nail.

This indigestible collection lay in the stomach as if it had been so much corn, and each piece was bright and as new looking as the day it came from the hardware store. The stomach was not diseased in the least, neither was there as much as a black mark where the hardware collection had rested, all of which makes it more remarkable.

Mr. Gilbert states that the wire fence staples are of a size and kind which he never used or had about his farm, and as the cow has never been away from the farm since being taken to Franklindale from Asylum township, he believes the animal swallowed the staples while still the property of Captain Kilmer, seven years ago. If this is the case, and the cow has lived all this time, giving good milk, enjoying perfect cow health, and making good beef, then it is one of the most remarkable cases that ever to light in Bradford county.

INTERESTED IN BRADFORD COUNTY ROADS ALSO.

Lycoming County Good Roads Association is Watching Work.

The Lycoming County Good Roads association, which by the way, is the most progressive organization of its kind in Pennsylvania, is keeping an eye on the road work in Bradford county, being interested here, evidently as it is in its home county.

The following extracts from a letter to this paper under date of Saturday, May 16, will be of interest to those interested in good roads:

Editor Daily Review:

Dear Sir:—Editor Person, of the Sun, has sent to me a number of your issues containing articles on split-log drag which indicate that you are interested in this agitation.

Your correspondent, "Common Sense," in May 13th issue, has the drag sized up right. Don't believe Frank P. Bull of Liberty Corners, used it enough to know what it can do.

One of our townships report their eight drags cost $3 each. Expect to maintain their roads for $10 a mile this year; less next. Until the roads are gotten into proper condition every rain or wet spell should be regarded as an opportunity to get them there. After that they will require less and less attention. It cost about ten dollars a mile to go over them once with the scraper, and this is generally done at a time when it does more harm than good, from the driver's point of view.

Very truly yours,
Lycoming County Good Roads Association, Ralph Gibson, Secretary,
Williamsport, Pa.

Frank Hancock.

Frank Hancock, a highly esteemed citizen of Powell, passed away at his home last Sunday very suddenly, after several weeks' illness with drosy. He had recovered sufficiently to be out of doors and even attended a funeral the day before his death and seemed as well as through the day when he retired at night but was found dead in bed at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. He leaves a wife and several grown-up sons and daughters to mourn his loss.

Surprise Party at Bernice.

Tuesday evening, May 12, 22 friends of Miss Mary McDonald gave her a very pleasant surprise in honor of her birthday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McDonald, at Bernice. Music and games were the principal enjoyment of the evening, and all report a very pleasant time.

BLACK HAND LETTER

Received by Charles Marks, a Barclay Mountain Lumberman

TRIED TO CAPTURE WRITER

Money Was Placed Under Cold Spring Water Tank, But Suspected Person Took Fright and Left the Mountains Without Taking Coin.

The Barclay mountains, the scene of the Biondi murder, and other crimes, gave birth to another sensation last week. Charles Marks, a lumberman living near McKune's station above Laquin, on Tuesday of last week received a "Black Hand" letter asking for $300, and threatening death if he failed to make good. An unsuccessful effort was made to capture the writer of the letter, and as the suspected party has fled the mountains, the details of the affair are given out.

The letter was written in a fairly good hand, and was dated May 10, Laquin. It is the practice for people living along the S. & N. Y. to take their letters to the depots and stopping places and when the passenger trains arrive to give them to the brakeman on the trains, who in turn mail the letters at the first postoffice they have an opportunity.

The "black hand" letter was given to Fred Place of Towanda, baggagemaster on the S. & N. Y. train, last Monday, but he has no recollection as to who gave it to him, there having been so many letters handed him on that morning. He posted it at Masten and it was received by Marks, the intended victim, on Tuesday of last week.

The Letter.

Following is a copy of the letter, and an exact reproduction of the terrible "black hand" signature which has carried into the hearts of hundreds of people, and the society of which it is emblematic, has carried death to numberless persons who have refused to comply with the requests of the infamous organization:

Don't fail us if you
do your time is short.
Laquin, Pa., May 10
Mr. Charles Marks. You will please leave $300 hundred dollars under Cold Spring water tank by next Friday or you are a Dead Man. Don't try to run away or escape us because it won't do you no good. Sined the

Tried to Capture Suspect.

Mr. Marks is a hard working man, and as he is very saving, it was supposed he had much money. He suspected a man working in the mountains, and so notified County Detective McCracken, who went to work on the case.

Three one dollar bills, carefully marked for identification, were placed in a package under the Cold Spring water tank as requested, and a watch was set for the man suspected of writing the letter. Friday morning tracks were found near the tank and it is believed that the parties had been in that vicinity to look the grounds over and see if everything was all right.

The marked money was placed by Mr. Marks Friday afternoon, and that evening and all night, a man secreted close by kept watch for the appearance of the man who wanted the money, but he came not. The bait was left until Saturday night also, but was unmolested, and then further investigation brought to light the fact that the suspected party had flown the mountains, going to Williamsport.

Letters written by him have been secured and the handwriting is identical with that of the "black hand" letter received by Mr. Marks. The suspected party is an American, who has long associated with Italians, and is believed to be a member of the dreaded society whose sign is that of the "black hand."

HISTORY OF SAYRE.

Enterprising Shop Town Was Founded in the Year 1870.

The town of Sayre, which now numbers about 5,000 inhabitants and is rapidly growing, was started in the year 1870. The following facts concerning its history are of interest:

Waverly was at one time the Northern terminal of the Lehigh Valley railroad, and the building of the branch road was the beginning of Sayre.

In May, 1870, Howard, Elmer, Charles Anthony, and James Fritcher purchased the plains between the two rivers and proposed to build a town upon this land. All that was done that year was to simply cut out the timber growth of what is now Keystone avenue, and this new broad highway materially shortened the distance between Athens and Waverly, making it three miles. In May, 1871, the same parties purchased the land where the depot and shops are now located. She same year the Pennsylvania and New York company purchased a portion of this plot and soon they built an elegant passengerdepot.

The transfer of passengers was moved from Athens in 1863, and the new station was moved to Sayre in honor of Robert H. Sayre. In July of the same year a round house was built and occupied. The town was laid out and the proprietors expended large sums in opening, grading and making good streets, and also in putting up substantial buildings. A postoffice was established in 1874.

In September, 1878, a beginning was made in building the small repair shops that have so rapidly expanded to their present proportions.

Historical Society Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the Historical society of Bradford county, will be held at its rooms on Saturday, May 23, at 2 p. m. The committee will make a report on the essays written by the students of the grammar grades and high schools of Bradford county, and the prize winners will be announced. The report of this committee will no doubt be of interest to the members of the society as well as all students who submitted historical essays for prizes. Routine business will be transacted, and the committee having charge of "Home Coming Day" and "Old People's Day" will report the prospects for a two-day's meet in June.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Says the Waverly correspondent of the Sayre Times-Record: Mrs. Margaret Powell of Barker place, one of the best known members of the Zion M. E. church, was stricken with paralysis while attending the evening service Sunday night and in an unconscious condition was removed to the parsonage where she still remains. Late Monday afternoon her condition seemed a little improved. Mrs. Powell came to Waverly from Towanda some years ago and lived for a time on Erie street, later moving to Barker place. Many people both in Sayre and Waverly will learn with regret of her misfortune."

Will Try to Tax Roads.

The next legislature in Pennsylvania will be asked to confer upon municipalities the power to impose a tax on the rights of way of the railroad companies. This right was denied to the cities Tuesday in the decision of the state superior court on the appeal from the Allegheny county court's decision sustaining the imposition of a tax by the city on the railroad rights of way in Pittsburg. In the supreme court's decision the statement was made that, had the legislature intended that the rights of way should be taxed, this would have been made plain in the law.

Will Tour United States.

Mrs. Frank Welles and two daughters of Paris, are expected to reach New York on Wednesday of this week, and after a few days' visit in Gotham, they will start on an automobile tour of the United States. G. W. Manville of Towanda, has been engaged as chauffeur, and the party will travel in a fine new touring car to be purchased in New York city. They expect to visit Towanda during the trip.

Sold His Runabout.

Charles P. Welles has sold his auto runabout to Dr. Houghton of New York city. George W. Manville, accompanied by the purchaser's father, Rev. Dr. Houghton, pastor of the Towanda Methodist Episcopal church, left Towanda Tuesday morning and will make the trip to New York York in th eauto, which will be delivered to the new owner.

Divorces Granted.

Two divorces were granted by the court Monday, Lucy A. Green is legally separated from Edward L. Greene, on the grounds of desertion, and Anna Mason is granted a decree severing the ties which made her the wife of Henry Mason. Cruel and barbarous treatment was the cause of the Mason unhappiness and divorce.

WANT CAUSE SHOWN

William Cross Petitions Court to Quash Pike Objections.

HEARING TO BE HAD MAY 29

Seven Reasons Are Assigned By Attorneys For Mr. Cross For the Annulment of the Proceedings to Throw Out Pike District Ballots.

The celebrated Senatorial contest which has been resting for the past few days, has again taken the centre of the stage and the spotlight is once more upon the Pike ballot box.

William Cross of Sayre, who is seeking the nomination, and who at present is five votes behind, through his attorney, E. M. Dunham of Sayre, has obtained a rule calling on the 25 petitioners, who last week filed a petition asking that the first district of Pike township be thrown out, to come into court and show cause why their proceedings should not be quashed. The matter will come before Judge Fanning on Friday, May 29.

The petition asking that the votes of Pike district be thrown out was signed by 28 voters, and the attorneys in the case are David E. Kaufman and Lilley & Wilson. The principal point of the petition is based upon the allegation that 11 minutes after the polls had closed two men came into the polling place, were given ballots and allowed to enter a booth, mark and deposit them in a ballot bax.

The grounds for the motion on the part of the attorneys for Mr. Cross are: First—The petitioners do not request the court to direct a contest. Second—That the petition only asks that the one district be thrown out, which the court has no power to do, as there is no contest. Third—That there is nothing upon which to found a contest inasmuch as the petition fails to show that any one has been declared elected by the proper authorities, and until this is done there is nothing upon which to found a contest. Fourth—The petition fails to set out that any false, fradulent or improper votes were cast for William Cross for the nomination as a candidate for State Senator. Fifth—It is the return of the proper officers declaring some one elected to some office, that can be contested, and until some return has been made there is nothing to contest; or to found a contest upon, and as the petition must set forth every essential requirement showing the right of the parties to make the contest, the petition in this case is fatally defective in not setting forth that William Cross has been returned as nominated as a candidate for State Senator. Sixth—The act authorizing contests disects that "the petition shall be presented to the court or law judge having jurisdiction, and if it shall be adjudged sufficient, it shall be filed of record in the proper court, and thereupon a time shall be fixed for hearing." In the present case the petition was filed without having the court or judge adjudge the same as sufficient, and is therefore fatally defective. Seventh—The petition is fatally defective, in not setting forth the necessary facts and allegations required by the statute to be set out in order to give the court jurisdiction of the matter.

Valuable Stallion Dead.

Governor R. P. Fowler, No. 33474, a valuable trotting stallion, died at the Kirwan livery barn on Park street, Towanda, Tuesday afternoon. Paul E. Maynard, Esq., of Athens, owner of the horse, drove him from Athens to Towanda yesterday, and a few hours after arriving here the stallion was taken sick, with what was diagnosed as acute indigestion. A great effort was made by Mr. Maynard and James Cummings, a well known horseman of Monroeton, to save the animal's life, but to no avail. Gov. Flower had a mark of 2:17 trial, and could go in 2:10 in proper condition. He had a long pedigree and was one of the best bred stallions in this section. Mr. Maynard on Monday of this week refused an offer of $1,000 for the horse. One of his colts is entered in the $50,000 futurity race at Hartford.

Caught in the Act.

The fact that Prof. McMurray of the Williamsport high school faculty, had to prepare chemicals and was at work in the laboratory until 11 o'clock the other night, spoiled the plans of four senior students, who crawled up the fire escape and into the main room, where Principal Butlard's desk and the examination questions were. The boys had the screws out of the lid when Prof. McMurray, attracted by the noise, walked into the room. The light from the candles with which the boys worked permitted identification of each. They were placed in the hands of the committee on discipline who fined each student $5, which was paid.

MERCHANTS SHOULD BEWARE.

Center County Business Men Duped By Smooth Strangers.

If one formed conclusions from all he reads in the newspapers he might think that the farmers are the only class of people who ever get, swindled but there are others.

Down in Center county the other day two well-dressed gentlemen visited the merchants of Bellefonte. One, who was the business end of the combination told the local merchants a very plausible story. He claimed that he was vice-president of the "Business Men's Association of Pennsylvania" whose object it was to have the mercantile tax law repealed which had become a burden to the merchants throughout the state. He stated that one million and a quarter dollars were collected each year, and after the commissioners and advertising were paid, only $20,000 was turned into the state treasury. He said they proposed stopping this graft, and after finishing his little song and dance a petition was presented to the merchant to sign. The next thing the merchant had a subscription book pushed under his nose and asked to subscribe two to five dollars which would be used in defraying the expenses in getting the repeal act through the legislature. As easy as ducks going to water the merchants pulled out their good elegant cash and forked it over to entire strangers. It is said they secured between $200 and $300. This was only the result of about three hours work in the morning, and in the afternoon they skidooed to new fields of labor.

Getting Serious.

The Owego Daily Record is getting serious over the proposition to run a work train from Owego to Sayre. The Record has had Superintendent Whiteford and Superintendent Kinney in Owego looking the ground over, and also talking about the Towanda-Sayre shop train. According to The Record, this is what Mr. Kinney says about the Towanda shop train: "In regard to the abandonment of he Towanda shop train, Superintendent Kinney stated that it had not been definitely determined yet—at least it was not made public. He stated, however, that it had been seriously considered and was yet under consideration. It will depend upon several different conditions not yet made public as to whether it will be continued or not."

Married by Contract.

The first marriage by contract to be made in Chemung county, N. Y., in a long time was effected Tuesday by County Judge George McCann, when Howard Hess and Fanny Fenton appeared and executed papers which made them man and wife, without ceremony. The record was filed in the Elmira city clerk's office and the knot was tied.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occuring in Many Town Hereabouts.

BINGHAMTON'S AUTO PARADE

Westfield Business Men Will Hold Combination Sale One Saturday During Each Month—Highwaymen Busy in Scranton.

J. C. Rhinebold of Powell, was in the county seat yesterday.

Binghamton is to have its annual automobile parade on May 25 and it is expected over 200 cars will be in line.

The Susquehanna Transcript has been purchased by Thompson Bean, formerly connected with the Scranton Republican. Mr. Bean took possession Monday.

The Troy Creamery company paid the farmers 27 cents net for butter made from milk and a 12 per cent. overrun on milk and 15 per cent. on cream.

Westfield business men pay for the advertising and have arranged with an auctioneer to hold a combination sale on one Saturday of each mouth. Farmers attend the sales in large numbers.

The Nicholson Fire company has established a code of signals which tell in what part of the town the fire is located when an alarm is sounded.

Harold Williams, a 13 years old Troy boy, has attended school six years without being either late or absent. Notwithstanding the fact that during that time he suffered with a fractured arm.

The postoffices at Russell Hill and Deckerville, Wyoming county, will be abandoned May 31 because of the establishment of free delivery routes on June 1. The Russell Hill postoffice has been doing business for more than half a century.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wilbur, the former vice-president of the Lehigh Valley railroad, celerated their golden wedding at South Bethlehem on Monday.

Highwaymen in Scranton Sunday night held up a pair of lovers, knocked the young man unconscious and in searching the girl, found $10 in one of her stockings.

Scranton is to have cans on the streets in which all bits of waste paper are to be thrown. Towanda, thanks to the Village Improvement society, has had such receptacles for a long time.

The Erie railroad is about to try a new scheme in retrenchment. Many telegraph operators are to be removed, in case the plan works, and men will take their places who will transmit messages by telephone from tower to tower.

D. T. Evans

Linoleums
Inlaid in all qualities
New printed patterns
Only the best grades
Linoleums
Endure hard wear
Use good judgment
Make your
Selection now and here

D. T. Evans.

NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

WELLS.

A social party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roberts last Thursday eveningfl Games and music were enjoyed by about 20 of their young friends. Refreshments were served and all present report a pleasant time. Young people from Gillett, Sylvania and Judson Hill were in attendance.

Mrs. Harkness, who has spent some time here with her daughter, Mrs. Allen McClellan, left on Sunday for a visit to her son, John Harkness, at Fassett.

A real old fashioned Fourth of July celebration of buzz, bang, peanuts and red lemonade, will be held this year at Wells. A race track and base ball grounds are being rapidly put in shape. Several interesting horse races will be run and the yet disputed race between "Sid" McClellan and Landlord A. C. Porter's horses will be trotted again and finally settled. In fact the races promise to be very interesting. The Mosherville base ball team and several other local teams promise exciting and interesting amusement. Several ball games will be played, pole climbing, catching a greased pig, foot races, foot ball games, jumping and many other attractions are on the program. Mosherville is making many exertions to make this Fourth of July celebration a grand success. A dance in Odd Fellows hall in the evening will wind up the celebration.

John Sullivan is the fortunate owner of a handsome young colt of the Pine City stock, owned by Jesse Edsall.

James A. Sturdevant went to Elmira last Wednesday to have an operation performed for an affliction in hi smouth. Mr. Sturdevant is an "old Vet" and has the sympathy of a host of friends.

Mrs. J. E. Courtright of Judson Hill, has been on avisit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bristol, at Lawrenceville. The two latter, who have been very ill, are convalescing.

Miss Pedrick of State Line, is a clerk in S. McClellan's store at Mosherville.

A carefully organized "surprise" party intent upon a frolic and dance were themselves surprised in this place one night last week by being denied admittance by those who declined to become involuntary entertainers. Such a course, if generally adopted, would speedily abate a great nuisance.

William Welsh set out over 100 choice peach trees on his farm near Bulk Head this Spring and they are all doing nicely. Mr. Welsh harvested over 1,000 bushels of peaches off from that farm in one season recently.

Fred Balmer of Gillett, is the owner of a young trotting horse.

S. S. French of Mosherville is improving from his serious illness.

Will Avery is hauling lumber to Elmira for his father, M. E. Avery, who is erecting an elegant new residence on South Broadway.

The cheese factory at Coryland began operation last week.

If you haven't the time to exercise regularly, Doan's Regulets will prevent constipation. They induce a mild, easy, healthful action of the bowels without griping. Ask your druggist for them. 25c

TERRYTOWN.

Paul Terry of Towanda, spent a couple of days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. LaDeoux.

Mrs. Matilda Jackson of Wilmot, spent Sunday with her son and family.

Frank Shultz while in Philadelphia bought a living picture machine which he inteds operating.

Mrs. B. R. Terry visited her mother, Mrs. N. Hoyt, at Evergreen, Tuesday.

Mrs. Millie Gibbs visited her mother, Mrs. H. L. Terry, at Wyalusing, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mapes and son, and Mrs. Ella Roberts and two daughters of Norway Ridge, attended church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horton and B. H. Thompson and wife were calling at Mrs. Josephine Terry's Sunday afternoon.

Byron and Carrie Terry were calling at Fred Layman's recently.

BAILEYS CORNERS.

Sylvester Rockwell and Mrs Arch Baxter are ill.

Leo Baldyin, who has been working at Erwin, N. Y., has returned.

Miss Hazel Larcom of Springfield, is visiting at Jonas Storrs's.

Miss Nettie Larcom of LeRoy, and Delphine Larcom of Powell, are visiting Ed. Larcom.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Jesse and Sollie Baxter on Thursday, May 28, for dinner. An invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Cal. Wooster of LeRoy, who has been staying for a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Hatt Reckwell, returned to her home last Sunday.

There will be an ice cream social at the church this week Friday evening, May 22, for the benefit of the C. E. society.

That Little Pain in Your Back

threatens your Kidneys. If allowed to go on a little while you will suffer throughout the entire system. Take at once Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It is the most certain cure known for the treatment of all diseases of the Kidneys, Liver and Blood. Write Dr. David Kenney's Sons, Roundout, N. Y., for free sample bottle and medical booklet. All druggists, $1.00

All the news while it is news.

HERRICKVILLE.

Joseph Tuttle and wife of Myersburg, were calling at James Carr's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Joice of Rome, spent Sunday with Mrs. Joice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodburn.

Raymond McPherson of Hughesville, is spending some time with his mother, Mrs. T. H. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Chaffee of Orwell, spent Sunday at M. A. Overpeck's.

Robert Waterman had business in Montrose last week and brought a fine three years colt home with him.

John Wells purchased a horse of Walter Howe at LeRaysville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Overpeck spent the latter part of last week with their son Miles, at LeRaysville.

P. P. Watson and son have finished sawing their stock of lumber.

Beeman & Tillman finished sawing on the Lee McPherson job last week and will move next to the Titus and Summer job.

J. K. McPherson, who had a limb fractured several months ago, has to have another operation performed. The bones have not knit and the doctors at the hospital say they will have to be cut over and put together. John has had a hard time and his friends will be glad to hear that he operation is asuccess.

There will be a social in the M. E. church parlors on Friday evening, May 22, for the benefit of the Herrickville library. All are cordially invited.

Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters is a cleansing blood tonic. Makes you clear-eyed, clear-brained clear-skinned.

BOURNE.

Misses Laura and Leha Bourne are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Spencer, of Fairview.

Mrs. Robert Campbell and daughter Alice, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Darrow, Sunday, at Burlington.

Elmer Ross is in Philadelphia this week as a representative of the Odd Fellows' lodge.

Miss Emma Spencer of West Franklin, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Bourne, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Campbell were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stanton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chamberlin and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell Sunday, at Burlington.

The Ladies' Aid society was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Longford last Friday; proceeds $4.50.

RIDGEBURY.

Charles Lefler and family spent Sunday at Wells Lefler's.

Born, May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carr, a son, Sydney Frederick Carr.

Mrs. Elmira Voorhis celebrated her 76th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Haskin, Monday, May 11.

Frank Owen has been suffering a severe attack of asthma.

Mrs. John Ayers spent Tuesday in Chemung.

Robert Burnham is the owner of a fine young pacing colt.

Mrs. C. E. Hanlon has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Hill, of Elmira, the past week.

G. A. Parcel of Southport, was down to his farm Friday night, reporting his mother, Mrs. Julia Parcel, much better, after weeks of illnes.

John Owen and children spent Sunday at Gillett.

EAST TROY.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bohlayer of Granville, were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. George Vannoy's.

Twenty of the young friends of Miss Rosa Vannoy pleasantly surprised her last Friday evening when they came to her home. A very pleasant evening was passed and a fine lunch served by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vannoy.

Willis Ball was suddenly called to Columbus, O., in the interests of the Ferris Whell company last Saturday.

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Sunbury children last Tuesday evening at the court house at Troy. All were pleased by the entertainment.

Mrs. John Foster, whose serious illness has been noted in these items, died Thursday evening, May 14.

Mrs. B. H. Weller has returned to her home here from Danby. She states her mother is in very poor health.

MYERSBURG.

Guy Nortrup and son Decatur, of Athens, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Simons and daughter Mattie, are spending a few days in Monroeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon visited their daughter in Towanda Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamphere, Jr., May 8, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reynolds visited their mother at Rome, Sunday.

About 35 neighbors and friends gave a surprise to Miss S. A. Cooley on Thursday, it being her birthday. The day was pleasantly spent and a fine dinner enjoyed by all.

Amanda Martin is convalescing.

F. N. Dixon recently purchased a horse, carriage and harness, after selling his fine team of colts.

EVERGREEN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Teeter were in Towanda last Monday.

Miss Arleigh Corson of New Albany, spent Sunday at H. A. Hibbard's.

The B. S. C. will meet with Kathleen Strunk next Friday evening.

Mrs. John Teeter went to Scranton last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Amy Lee.

Surveyor Bull of Towanda, transacted business in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. Warren Hatch and sister, Blanche Capwell, visited relatives at Scriven's Hollow Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie Welch and son of Sayre, were guests of Evergreen relatives last week.

Mrs. Amy Lee, formerly of this place, died at the home of her daughter at Scranton on Saturday.

William Lenox and family and Gordon Jackson and family spent Sunday at Mrs. L. Jackson's at North Street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Strunk of West Terry, called at O. F. Strunk's Sunday evening.

A leap year box social will be held by the Christian Endeavor society at the home of Mrs. Bertha Newton on Tuesday evening, May 26. Gentlemen are requested to bring boxes.

Roy Chapman of Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, visited relatives here the last of the week.

ORWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pettes and daughter Clara, spent the end of the week with friends in Neath.

Mrs. A. A. Platt is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Tyrrell, in Owego.

Rev. F. E. Lott of Barton, is in town; his mother will go back with him and keep house for him.

Mrs. Lewis, who has been visiting her son, Prof. C. P. Lewis, has returned to her home in West Chester.

Misses Belle and Ruth Cooley and Miss Leta Blair are boarding at D. W. Cowles's and attending the teachers' drill.

Prof. C. P. McCord of Wyalusing, will deliver his latest lecture, "Dwelling With Roses," in the M. E. church on Friday evening of this week, May 22, for the benefit of the high school library. This is the third time Prof. McCord has been here, which shows how much his lectures were appreciated. All will be glad to hear him again. Tickets 15 cents.

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STEVENSVILLE.

There will be a C. E. social called the "Dutch Market," at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Askew on Thursday evening; all come and have a good time.

Marvin Askew is working at LeRaysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kalbfus of Harrisburg, are spending some time in this place.

Victor Eastabrook, who for some time has been attending school at Perkiomen seminary, is spending some time at his home in this place.

Mrs. Julia Cummings and Miss Sarah Jones have returned to their home in this place, after spending the Winter in Washington, D. C.

James Carr and son John, of LeRaysville, were callers in this place last week.

Mrs. Helen Canfield of Wyalusing spent a few days with friends in this place last week.

Miss Anna Crawford is assisting Mrs. Amy Cobb with her housework.

FASSETT.

Miss Mabel Mahaffey and Miss Vera Golden were in Elmira shopping Tuesday.

Harry Knights is improving.

L. M. Johnson and family were in Elmira Monday.

C. F. Moore and G. W. Strong are the owners of fine colts.

Mrs. L. M. Gillett was in Elmira shopping Wednesday.

N. Reed has several rows of early potatoes planted.

Miss Estella Neufer of Elmira, visited her mother a few days last week.

Mrs. F. H. Decker, who has been very sick, is slowly improving.

SYLVANIA.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McDowell left on Tuesday for an extended visit to friends in the West.

Miss Hannah Luckey was home from the Mansfield Normal over Sunday.

Mrs. D. W. Bahr was quite ill for several days last week, but is gaining now.

Mrs. Florence Card is having a cement walk laid in front of her new home.
home.

Frank Worden of Canton, was in town Sunday.

Christian Waldo has had to leave the Normal on account of ill health.

WILMOT.

Joel Hoffman and Miss Anna Saxe are each nursing a felon on a hand.

Sunday school was again started recently at 10 a. m. and League at 7:30 p. m.

Frank Burke has moved on his farm recently purchased from Ira Wilbur.

J. Burt Lewis of Wyalusing, was calling here Sunday.

Advertise in The Review.

WINDFALL.

The "wild man" which has caused so much excitement in this neighborhood during the past week has not yet been captured. The opinion seems to prevail that the wild man dwells only in the imagination of the small boy who made the discovery. This way of solving the mystery seems to be borne out by the fact that the tracks of bare feet which were supposed to be those of the wild man, exactly correspond with those made by the small boy when bare footed. Meanwhile the men on Bunyan Hill are sleeping with one eye open, and the women refuse to stay alone for any length of time.

Charles Storrs and family have rented Anna Parmenter's farm and are moving there this week. Miss Parmenter, however, wishes it stated that she is not married and not liable to be very soon, reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

Miss Jennie Collins is visiting at Williamsport.

Miss Susie Blowers of LeRoy, is sewing for Mrs. Cola Kendall this week.

Mrs. Sarah Sturdevant is improving so she is able to sit up in a chair.

James Maney of New York city, visited her jarents, Mr. and Mrs. John Maney, here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch are visiting relatives at Towanda.

Jonathan Miller has sold his farm to Hiram White of Waverly.

Mark Merritt has installed a new Bell 'phone. C. H. Saxton has also put one in his tenant house.

Henry Jennings was called to Canton Sunday by the death of his brother, E. A. Jennings.

Stops earache in two minutes; toothache or pain of burn or scald in five minutes; hoarseness, one hour; muscleache, two hours; sore throat, 12 hours—Dr. Thomas's Eclectric Oil, monarch over pain.

POWELL.

Ensign Mars of the Salvation Army, Towanda, will conduct services in the M. E. church Thursday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Morgan Weldy of Myersburg, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Mary Lantz of New Albany, visited at F. O. Lantz's recently.

Miss Rena Hall is ill.

Mrs. Audley Northrup and children who have been with friends several weeks, returned to their home at Seneca Falls, Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Foster and son Alvin, are spending some time with friends in Laquin.

Mrs. Alice Schrader and granddaughter Alice, are spending some time at Newark Valley.

Claude Dunn of Towanda, and Fred Detrick of Athens, visited friends over Sunday.

Joseph Camp accompanied Mrs. Clarence Camp to her new home in New York state, to spend a few days.

DOTY HILL.

James Cowan, wife and daughters, Fern and Bonnie, called on Mr. and Mrs. George Pautz Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Wellsburg, visited friends on the hill a few days last week.

Ward Soper and family visited at A. Clarke's near Mosherville, Sunday.

Arthur Andrus of Interlaken, and Miss Rena Merriam of Comfort Hill, called at Tim Birney's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dewey visited friends at Bentley Creek Sunday.

Inez Brown of Wellsburg, was the guest of Leora Easton Saturday and Sunday.

BIG POND.

Mrs. Mary Crainey of Elmira Heights, is visiting her son, Will Crainey.

Mrs. Martha Allen and son Max, of Berrytown, spent Friday at W. A. Bullock's.

Miss May Parks has a new piano.

Miss Ensworth, the elocutionist, recited in the M. E. church Wednesday evening. Her readings were very good, and showed much talent.

Mrs. Eva Voorhis of Elmira Heights, spent Sunday at S. S. Huggins's.

The Grangers are raising a new flag pole in front of their hall.

N. S. Hosley and family of Waverly, are spending some time on their farm here.

MAC.

Oakley Darrow and Miss Jennie Darrow of Laurel Hill, were guests at James Darrow's Sunday.

Elmer Osborne and nephew of Athens, were transacting business in this place last week.

Ralph Lane of East Smithfield, and Floyd Lane of Fairview, were guests of their parents Sunday.

Wilber Grennell of Troy, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

LeROY.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve ice cream and cake at the Grange hall Saturday evening, May 23. A cordial invitation to all.

Rev. Jesse Porter of Shunk, has moved into the parsonage and will preach in the Disciple church every Sunday.

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EVERGREEN.

A donation was given Rev. John A. Blacklock at the parsonage on the afternoon and evening of May 14.

Roy Chapman of the Standing army at Fort Ethan Allen, has been visiting relatives here the last few days.

John Allen is treating his house to a new coat of paint.

Arthur Edsall is working at the New Albany milk station.

William Lenox and Robert Hatch have been putting a new roof on their house.

The bible study class will meet with Miss Kathleen Strunk Friday evening, May 22.

Miss Alberta Allen spent Sunday with Miss Cleo Hakes at Lonely Hollow.

Miss Maude Robinson spent Sunday with her grandparents at French Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fullmer of Wilmot, spent Sunday at G. E. Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eddy spent Sunday at Reuben Eddy's at Moon street.

Mrs. G. E. Allen and daughter, Wilma, and Nina Allen spent Monday in Sayre.

LUTHERS MILLS.

The Bible study at W. P. Lane's well attended and a class was organized. Teacher, W. P. Lane; secretary, Mrs. Ethel Melville; treasurer, Frank Mingos. The next meeting will be held at Z. L. Morgan's, Saturday evening, May 23. A cordial invitation to all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Isabell and grandson of Ulster, were guests of Charles Alexander Sunday.

Miss Cora Carman and Mrs. Charles Carman visited at W. W. Wardell's, Liberty Corners, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vangorder of Sayre, visited at C. H. Wrisley's Sunday.

There will be a bee at the Luthers Mills cemetery Thursday, May 28. All are invited to attend and put the cemetery in shape for Memorial day.

Rev. H. B. Allen will preach a memorial sermon to the G. A. R., S. of V., P. O. S. of A., and to the public on Sunday, May 24, at 2:30 o'clock.

Good for Everybody.

Norman R. Coutler, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best Spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; a s a blood purifier it is unequaled. 50c at Turner's Drug Store.

FRANKLINDALE.

Humphrey Brown is seriously ill.

Mrs. W. H. S. Loller occupied the pulpit at the M. E. church Sunday in the absence of Mr. Loller, who was at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Johnson were called to Monroeton Sunday by the serious illness of Mr. Johnson's aunt.

Mrs. Anthony Kirschner of Elmira, and daughter are visiting relatives here.

A large fish-hawk was seen to rise out of the creek between this place and Powell last week and flying as is injured on to Lyman Selleck's side hill near his house. It was killed by Mr. Selleck with nothing but his bare hands. The hawk measured over four feet across its outspread wings.

WEST BURLINGTON.

The Ladies' Aid will hold an ice cream social Friday evening, May 22, in the basement of the church. A invitation to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Francisco have cordial invitation to all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Blackwell and daughter, Katherine, spent Sunday with their son, Lynn, in Luthers Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McKean were Sunday guests at the home of their brother, George McKean.

Itching piles provoke profanity, but profanity won't cure them. Doan's Ointment cures itching, bleeding or protruding piles after years of suffering. At any drug store.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Miss Annie Laurie Hill of Elmira, visited at J. F. Lampman's last week.

Arthur Haight and family accompanied by Mrs. Emma Ferris of Sayre spent last week with his parents here.

Mary and Ella Weed recently spent a few days with their uncle at North Towanda.

E. L. Haight of Athens, was calling on friends here on Saturday and Sunday.

Bert Bailey has had a telephone put in his house.

THOMPSON HILL.

G. V. Ward attended the R. F. D. carriers' examination held at Towanda Saturday.

Miss Cora Inman and Miss Mabel Patterson attended the teachers' examination held at Towanda on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Will Avery and family of Baker Hill, called on relatives here Sunday.

The Thompson Hill ball team expects to wear new ball suits in the near future.

BLACK CREEK.

Clare Teeter of Codding, is spending some time with his parents here.

Miss Anna Bartlow spent Friday and Saturday with her sister, Lizzie, at Mildred.

J. C. Teeter of Evergreen, visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wayman of Hatch Hill, spent Sunday at F. C. Teeter's.

E. Bennett is ill with quinsy.

BURLINGTON.

In the Methodist church Sunday, May 24, at 10:30, Rev. O. H. Youell will preach a memorial sermon to the "Boys in Blue." Luthers Mills Post will be present. All soldiers and citizens are requested to attend.

Those who came from a distance to attend the funeral of L. D. Hill were his son, Dean Hill and wife of Jersey City; a brother, Allen Hill of Bath, N. Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Peck of Elmira, and Mrs. Orrice Bartlett of Wyalusing; a grandson, George Hill of Elkins, W. Va.

Mrs. Swayze of Elmira, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Youell, at the parsonage.

David Swingle, wife and little nephew, Clarence, of Ulster, were over to visit his mother, Mrs. Hannah Swingle, last Thursday.

Mrs. Judd Wigsten and baby are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, at Wellsburg.

About 50 friends of Miss Leah Wakely were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eleazor Waldron on Saturday evening to help her celebrate her sixteenth birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent playing games and with music on a phonograph. Ice cream and cake were served. Beside a shower of 50 post cards, she received some nice presents.

NEW ALBANY.

Mrs. Ella Wilcox has been visiting Williamsport friends.

Miss Florence Lilley is home from Montgomery.

Mrs. Cyrus Plummer has moved into her new house recently purchased from M. B. Osborn.

The home of J. K. Silvara caught fire on Thursday afternoon and was badly damaged. Prompt service from our volunteer firemen saved the building, but the contents were badly damaged. No insurance.

Miss Josephine Dempsey is spending part of the week in Scranton and Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. F. P. Corcoran and daughter, Mrs. Rachel Oastler, have returned home from Mill City, Nev. Mrs. Oastler is somewhat improved from her illness and expects to remain at home during the Summer.

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EAST SMITHFIELD.

Mrs. George Bird and Miss Ethel Harkness are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Gustin spent Sunday with their son, Rev. C. C. Gustin, at Liberty Corners.

The memorial services will be held in the Church of Christ next Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Schuyler will preach. All citizens are invited.

Miss Frances Eiffert and Miss Nellie Doty were in Athens Monday.

Miss Clarissa Bird is visiting Mrs. T. C. Keldar in New Albany.

Mrs. Esther Marvin is in town.

Mrs. Alice Vincent returned from Geneva last week to spend the summer.

Mrs. C. E. Voorhis and Mrs. John Sheeler entertained the Aid societies of their respective churches last week.

GROVER.

Mit Metzger of Butler, N. J., is visiting friends here.

John Hagar of Sunbury, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hagar.

Hi Lane spent Saturday and Sunday in Grover with his family.

George Wetherbee, Jr., is giving his house a third coat of paint.

Herbert Browning has the cellar of his house all laid.

Willard Morse of Granville, visited friends here Sunday.

Albert Schumbacker has finished painting his house.

Rev. J. H. Ryder and family spent Wednesday and Thursday in Williamsport.

Ray Shoemaker of Berrytown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbun.

ROME.

The teachers' examinations will be held in Rome May 22 and 23.

Mrs. George Shoemaker is able to be around again.

Gordon Sickler is doing some painting for Charles Wilmot.

Eliza Brown improves slowly. Mrs. Allen is caring for her.

Memorial services will be observed at the Presbyterian church on May 24, Rev. D. Davies officiating.

Mrs. J. P. Allen of North Orwell, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Sickler, Friday.

Mrs. George Fice of Athens, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Yeager.

SPRINGFLELD.

Mrs. Charles Gates was called to Towanda last Wednesday by the illness of Mrs. Passage.

Clay Mattocks is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Crediford and Alice Crediford and Mrs. Rose Harkness spent a day at Athens last week.

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Rev. F. Starbird of East Raymond, Me., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wound, and other obstinate sores, and find it the best healer in the world. I use it too with great success in my veterinary business." Price 25c at Turner's Drug Store.

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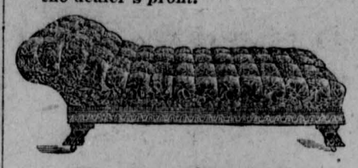

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 14, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 739,582 86
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		183 91
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		250 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds		5,320 00
Bonds, securities, etc		140,529 88
Banking House, furniture and fixtures		16,400 00
Other real estate owned		12,800 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		11,333 93
Due from State Banks and Bankers		5,930 22
Due from approved reserve agents		153,800 09
Checks and other cash items		3,711 41
Notes of other National Banks		3,765 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		228 09
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$34,204 70	
Legal-tender notes	27,600 00	61,804 70
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation		6,250 00
Total		$1,286,890 09

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	90,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	21,838 38
National Bank notes outstanding	123,700 06
Due to other National Banks	4,136 08
Dividends unpaid	145 00
Individual deposits subject to check	327,500 60
Demand certificates of deposit	593,529 58
Certified checks	316 32
Cashier's checks outstanding	724 12
Total	$1,286,890 09

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss:
I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
U. M. FELL, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1908.
H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
WILLIAM LITTLE,
C. T. KIRBY,
R. H. LANING,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 14, 1908:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 620,883 50
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		226 80
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds		5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		200,059 13
Banking House, furniture and fixtures		30,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		10,785 39
Due from State Banks and Bankers		1,518 11
Due from approved reserve agents		131,354 71
Checks and other cash items		806 26
Notes of other National Banks		680 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		409 68
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$36,473 60	
Legal-tender notes	10,520 00	46,993 60
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$1,206,217 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,045 10
National Bank Notes outstanding	148,500 00
Due to other National Banks	1,958 52
Due to State Banks and Bankers	474 59
Dividends unpaid	24 00
Individual deposits subject to check	285,695 13
Demand certificates of deposit	557,964 57
Cashier's checks outstanding	555 27
Total	$1,206,217 18

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L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
WILLIAM MAXWELL,
BENJ. KUYKENDALL, JR.,
J. W. CODDING,
Directors.

Attorneys.

I. McPHERSON, Attorney-at-Law. Offices a few doors North of Ward House. A general law business carefully transacted.

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PENNESYVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

HAZELTON'S BIBLE STUDENT.

Allentown Baby Takes a Bad Tumble From Third Story Window But Fortunately Escaped With Few Slight Injuries.

Fifty-four hens belonging to Owen Henry of Pennsburg, Montgomery county, laid 304 eggs in one week.

Daniel Oblinder of Oley township, Berks county, 62 years of age, during the past Winter cut and split 2,456 rails, finished 2,253 fence posts, cut 172 cords of wood, 21 telgraph poles and squared 200 posts.

Mrs. Charles Crellin of Hazleton, who is a great Bible student and is a prominent teacher in the Presbyterian Sunday school, has read the Bible through 28 times. She is able to read the entire Bible in 38 hours.

Felix Radzius, the Shenandoah murderer, who is to be hanged in two weeks for the murder of his boarding mistress and her son, has confessed to another murderer in Austria and that he came to this country to escape punishment for the crime.

For some time past Venango county autoists have had trouble in having their machine tires punctured while touring on the country roads, and finally discovered that some malicious person was planting wire nails in the roads. A Franklin detective was put on the track of the offenders and was successful in arresting two boys, who are charged with maliciously placing the destructive nails. The youngsters are in jail at Franklin, and, as they are old offenders out on suspended sentences, they will be sent to a reformatory.

Representative James I. Blakslee is an automobilist with nerve. His big touring car recently challenged the speediest train on the Jersey Central railroad. The flyer has a record of six minutes for the run between Mauch Chunk and Lehighton. Mr. Blakslee undertook to beat that time and came out, as usual, victorious. He looped off several seconds in his first attempt, and is now waiting for the train to do better. When that feat is accomplished the lawmaker and politician proposes to show the railroaders what a good automobile can do on the roads of Carbon county.

Turnkey Redcoy of Birdsboro, reported on Monday that the borough lock-up had been broken open and the four locks on as many cell doors were unscrewed and stolen.

On Monday a nine years old daughter of C. B. Stahe of Amberson valley, Franklin county, while playing on the wood pile cut off the right hand of her six years old sister at the wrist with an axe.

Much of the ice cream sold from wagons in Pottsville is believed to be poisonous and an analysis is to be made of it. Council also proposes to impose a tax on the dealers, who place their wagons near school houses to tempt pupils.

The two years old child of Ignatz Garger of Allentown, awoke Monday morning and seeing a window open alongside its crib, climbed on the sill and dropped from the third story to the pavement, fracturing its thigh and rendering it unconscious.

An unknown stranger who wandered into Media, Delaware county, on Sunday night in an intoxicated condition, owes his life to Miss Lillian Blizzard, a pretty young trained nurse, who drew him from the tracks of a trolley road just as a car was bearing upon his prostrate form.

Joseph Bright, formerly of Reading, who a week ago last Saturday night kidnapped the eight years old son of William Steiner of Nazareth, and then assaulted the lad and turned him loose at midnight to find his way home or perish, entered a plea of guilty on Monday in the Northampton county court and was sentenced to the penitentiary for ten years.

Berks county fruit growers expect to have one of the largest crops of cherries known for years, and apple trees are blossoming profusely.

The commissioners of Bucks county have decided not to allow farmers any rebate on their tax on timber lands this year, because the courts have declared the act of 1905 unconstitutional.

Lancaster county farmers are lessening their wheat acreage and raising more potatoes, as the latter crop is much more profitable. One farmer last year raised 1,800 bushels from eight acres and sold his crop at from 60 to 70 cents per bushel.

In York the owners of scratching hens that go around damaging neighbors' gardens and flower beds will lose their fowls if they don't keep them at home, as the municipal authorities intend to enforce an old ordinance which provides for the confiscation of all fowls running at large.

Jeremiah F. Werner of Mohnsville, Berks county, has entered suit against Rev. W. H. Stetler for $10,000 damages for slander, because the minister several months ago, while preaching the funeral sermon of Werner's wife charged that he had neglected and cruelly treated her.

Clare Stagmeyer of York, aged 14 years, who had been treated for a troublesome catarrh since the age of two years, on Thursday sneezed out his right nostril a broken bone collar button, which had given him trouble all those years.

A threatened trolley strike in Pittsburg has been averted by arbitration on a fairly satisfactorily compromise basis.

Charged with shooting three robins, Lugi Gudette of Chester, was committed to jail for 68 days by Alderman Stockman, in default of fines and costs amounting to $68.70.

Although he has lived within a short distance of the Bloomsburg and Sullivan railroad ever since it was built, more than 20 years ago, Thomas Hess of Jackson township, took his first ride on the steam cars recently, when he went to Bloomsburg to attend court. He is 70 years old. He enjoyed the ride greatly, and promises himself another railroad ride, as well as a ride on a trolley car as an extra treat, in the near future.

While Samuel Bridgeman of Sturgettstown, a suburb of Pittsburg, was away from the house Wednesday night to attend the funeral of his mother, burglars entered his home, chloroformed Mrs. Bridgeman and carried away much plunder. She was found in a serious condition the next morning, with her two little children weeping at her side.

A large catamount that makes its home on the mountain in the rear of the Central Poor district almshouse at Retreat, has been causing the officials of the institution considerable worriment, and the other evening killed a large hog. The fight between the wildcat and the porker was evidently a fierce one, as the hog was torn almost to shreds in certain portions of its body, huge pieces of flesh being torn out, while its whole body was a mass of wounds.

On Tuesday, Joseph Rusacane of Edwardsville, Luzerne county, noticing that an electric wire was burning a shade tree at his home, climbed up the tree and grasped the wire to pull it down. He gave a shriek and the next moment a blue flame was emitted from his body. He was horribly burned and died almost instantly.

A Pennsylvania law of 1820 provides that a vehicle must give one following and at a more rapid pace, one-half the traveled portion of the road, under a penalty of $20. The penalty with costs was recently collected from a farmer near Erie who refused to give half the road to an auto following him.

A handsome, well-dressed woman fleeced several merchants in Kittanning a few days ago by giving names of well known residents as references and then getting permission to take goods home for examination by her husband. After getting together a big supply of dry goods and shoes she disappeared, taking all with her.

"Hungry Sam" Miller of Strawberry Ridge, whose gormandizing exploits are known all over the United States, was a visitor in Bloomsburg for a short while on Friday morning. He visited a local restaurant, and on a bet of $2 ate a dozen and one-half of raw eggs, shells and all, in 18 minutes. Then, just for fun, as he said, he swallowed three quarts of milk before he took the 11:40 car for Almedia to visit some old friends. He explained that he wasn't feeling well, and couldn't do any fancy eating stunts, says The Milton Evening Standard.

The 135 patients at the White Pine sanatorium, on the Mont Alto forestry reserve, consume a total of 150 dozen of fresh eggs each day and 71 gallons of milk. Each patient is required to consume three eggs and as much milk as he can drink, and milk and egg luncheons are served between breakfast and dinner and supper each day. It is said that the completion of the new buildings now being erected at White Pine will result in the immediate admission of 360 additional patients.

The Huntingdon and Broad Top Railroad company has presented a new agreement to persons seeking employment in all services. The company agrees to pay $1,000 in case an employe being killed or dying within 30 days after being injured. The contract is void if the employe belongs to or joins a labor organization. By the agreement the employe releases the company from all liability in excess of the amount stipulated in case of death or accident.

A Hollidaysburg jury has decided that the Hollidaysburg and Bedford plank road shall be abandoned and made free from tolls. It is the last of the old toll roads in Blair county and was built 50 years ago at an expense of $25,000 a mile. The jury only gave $4,500 damages for the road.

A Novel Idea.

It is free and deeply interests everybody who has aches or pains, or who is weak and sickly. Anyone can learn the surest and quickest means to get strong and well by accepting that splendid free offer of the great specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases. Dr. Greene, of 9 West 14th street, New York city. He has established a system of letter correspondence through which all sick and suffering people can learn exactly what ails them, and how to get well, without expense and without leaving their homes. All they have to do is to write to the Doctor, stating each symptom from which they are suffering, and he will answer their letter, explaining their case thoroughly, telling just what the trouble is and what to do to be cured. He gives the greatest care and attention to every letter, and tells the cause of each symptom so plainly that patients understand instantly just what ails them, and all this costs nothing. It is a cannot afford the time or expense to go to the city. Dr. Greene makes a specialty of curing patients through letter correspondence. He is the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, and is the discoverer of that wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Those who write to him get cured.

WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

Mrs. Mathilda D. Craney.

Mrs. Mathida D. Craney, aged 86 years, died in Springfield township Saturday morning, May 16, of dropsy. One son survives. The funeral was held from her late home Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Saphrona S. Foster.

Mrs. Saphrona Strope Foster died Friday morning, May 15, at her home in Troy township, aged 46 years. Her husband, two sons and one daughter, survive. The funeral was held from her late home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

D. P. Knapp.

D. P. Knapp, who formerly resided in Alba and Granville, died a few days ago in the Masonic Home at Utica, N. Y., and his body was brought under Masonic escort to Granville for burial on Tuesday of last week. He was 86 years of age. His wife was a sister of Oren Brown of Canton.

Russell Thurston.

Russell Thurston died at his home in Powell, on Friday, May 8, of pneumonia, after a few days' illness. He was a veteran of the Civil war. Besides a wife, he leaves eight children, Mrs. W. M. Myers of Wilkes-Barre; Frank Thurston, Sayre; John, Claude, Perry, Fred, Harry, and Mrs. Herman Sage of Powell. The funeral was held Monday.

Mrs. Catherine Spellman.

Mrs. Catherine Spellman died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wright, in Athens, Tuesday afternoon of last week, having reached the advanced age of 87 years. The deceased had been for a number of years a resident of Athens and is survived by the daughter at whose home she died, and a son, Thomas Spellman, also of Athens.

William R. Mingle.

William R. Mingle died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. V. Westbrook, in Sayre, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Mingle has been in ill health for over a year and for the last two months has been confined to his bed. He was born in Jersey, Dec. 27, 1824, and he was a veteran in the Civil war. He is survived by two children, Mrs. V. Westbrook of Sayre, and Mahlon Mingle of Ulster. A prayer service will be held at the house Wednesday evening at 7:30 and the body will be taken to Standing Stone Thursday morning for burial.

Pierson M. Jones.

Died at his residence, in Owego, on May 10, of infirmities incident to old age, Pierson M. Jones, aged 78 years. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Emily O'Brien of Sayre, one son, Moses Jones of Elmira, and two sisters, Mrs. J. V. Grey of Owego, and Mrs. Sarah Dorsey of Powell. Mr. Jones had been a resident of Owego for many years and was among the most respetced colored men of Owego, having been employed as gardener and man of all work about the village, and his faithfulness and industry had won him the esteem of all.

Mrs. Charles Hoffman.

Mrs. Jennie D. Vargason, wife of Charles Hoffman, died at her home on South Main street, Towanda, Thursday morning at 2 o'clock, after a long and painful illness. She was 52 years of age, and a lady with many friends who will regret to hear of her demise. Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, Arthur and Ethel Hoffman, at home, and four brothers, Perry of Hornbey, N. Y., Eben of Otter Lake, Mich., John W. of West Terry, and Victor V. Vargason of Towanda. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock; interment in Riverside cemetery.

Lewis Brainard.

Lewis Brainard of Nichols, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Forsyth, in Owego Friday, May 15, at the age of 72 years. He is survived by his wife and ten daughters, Mrs. P. M. Diedrich of Sugar Run; Mrs. Harrison McCabe, Rome; Mrs. Henry Wurtenberg, Wysox; Mrs. May Douglass, Hornbrook; Mrs. William Platenberg, Stroudsburg; Mrs. William Forysth and Mrs. Harry Morse, Owego; Mrs. Frank Brainard, Milan; Mrs. Ida May Nichols and Miss Emily Brainard, at home. The funeral was held at Wysox from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Wurtenberg. Burial in Pond Hill cemetery. Deceased was a resident of Wysox township for a number of years before moving to Owego. He had a host of friends who will regret to learn of his demise.

John McQueen.

John McQueen, for the past two years a resident of North Waverly, died at an early hour Tuesday morning after a long illness of a complication of diseases, aged 82 years. The deceased was born in Ayershire, Scotland, and came to this country when about 20 years of age. For many years he lived in Ulster, and in 1883, in company with his son, Frank, went to Sayre. Two years ago they moved to North Waverly, where they have since resided. Of his immediate family the son at whose home he died, two daughters, Mrs. W. S. Sluyter of North Towanda, and Miss Anna McQueen and a son, William McQueen of Buffalo, survive him. The funeral will be held from his late home on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Ross officiating and will be private; interment at Tioga Point cemetery.

Walter G. Berg.

Walter G. Berg, chief engineer for the Lehigh Valley Railorad company, and one of the best authorities in this country on railroad engineering, died at 10:15 o'clock Tuesday morning, May 12, at his home in New York. Mr. Berg was well known in Sayre from the fact that engineers employed under him designed the Lehigh system shops and he was there many times while the shops were being erected on tours of inspection. Mr. Berg has been in the employ of the Lehigh for about a quarter of a century, but he is known world wide among engineers on account of being the author of several text books on railroad engineering. Mr. Berg was attacked by ecute indigestion Tuesday morning and death followed from heart failure. Up to the time of the attack his health had seemed excellent.

J. Franklin Blackman.

J. Franklin Blackman, one of Shesequin township's oldest and best known citizens, died at his home in Hornbrook yesterday morning at 9 o'clock after a ten days' illness with grip. Deceased was born on the Blackman farm at Hornbrook on June 9, 1825, therefore being in his 83rd year. With the exception of two years in Illinois, his entire life was spent in Hornbrook, near where he was born, and where he was well known and very highly esteemed. He was a man of sterling worth, honest, sincere and had the faculty of making friends whom he never forgot. He was a good christian and was one of the oldest members of the Hornbrook M. E. church. His death is deeply deplored. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Wallace W. Blackman at home, and George F. Blackman of New York, and two daughters, Mrs. E. W. Horton of Hornbrook, and Mrs. C. M. Finney of Towanda. Georeg W. Blackman of Hornbrook, is a brother, and Mrs. Wealthy Ayer of Chicago, is a sister of the deceased.

Mrs. Lucy L. Peck.

Mrs. Lucy Layman Peck, widow of the late Rev. Luther Peck, who before his death, was pastor of the Hornbrook Methodist Episcopal church, died at the Peck homestead in Hornbrook yesterday morning about 8 o'clock. She had been ill for nearly three months with grip, followed by catarrh of the stomach, which was the cause of death. Mrs. Peck was born in Lymanville, Susquehanna county, 62 years ago; her maiden name being Lucy L. Lyman. Twenty years ago she came to Hornbrook with her late husband, Rev. Luther Peck when he became pastor of the Hornbrook charge, and there they established their home. The husband passed away 13 years ago. Mrs. Peck was a woman of sterling christian character, and was a great help to her husband in his pastoral duties. After his death she continued to take an active interest in religious work and continued to do so until illness prevented. Her counsel and advice was eagerly sought and her friendship was warm and sincere. Numberless friends will sincerely mourn her demise. She is survived by one son, William L. Peck, and one daughter, Mrs. U. D. Horton, both of Hornbrook, also survives. The funer was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Hornbrook church; interment in the Hornbrook cemetery.

Aaron Hamm.

Aaron Hamm, for 28 years foreman of the Lehigh Valley blacksmith shop in Sayre, and one of the most highly respected and influential residents of the shop town, died at 11 o'clock on Thursday evening at his home in that place. Aaron Hamm was born in Passaic, N. J., on June 19, 1843, being the son of John and Gertrude Hamm, who came to America from France in 1823. He came to Sayre when the town was young and as foreman of the Lehigh shops it lay in his power to assist the growth of the little hamlet from the time when it was a part of Athens township until it reached its present size and importance. His death is a blow to the older residents of the town for he was one of the remaining links between the Sayre of today and the little railroad town that was created by the Lehigh Valley. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. George Rohey, Mrs. James Gearyn, Miss Mary Hamm, John Hamm, Charles Hamm, Joseph Hamm all of Sayre, and George Hamm of New York. He was for many years a member of Hartranft Post No. 7, G. A. R., at Passiac and later he became a member of Mallery Post, G. A. R. of Sayre. The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at the Church of the Epipnany, and Rev. J. L. Shanley will officiate; interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

Madam Julie Rive-King, assisted by Miss Meta Reddish, will give a recital in Elmira on Friday evening, May 29.

OBSEQUIES.

Funeral of G. W. Loomis.

Funeral services for the late George W. Loomis were held at the Loomis home on William street, at 11:30 Thursday forenoon. The funeral party drove to the Milan church where services were also held, Rev. Edwin A. Gernant, rector of Christ Church, Towanda, preaching the sermon. Interment was made in the Milan cemetery. The pallbearers were Ira Snedeker, Fred VanHorn, Joseph Campbell, George Foster, William Dittrich and J. H. Yeager.

Prizes for Best Alfalfa.

The Troy Industrial association impressed with the advantage to the farmers that would follow a more general growth of alfalfa in Western Bradford, will give free seed for a quarter of an acre to the first ten farmers who apply for it, who will prepare their ground and sow according to directions the coming Summer. More than this, a generous cash prize is contemplated for the best piece of alfalfa from which such sowing within five miles of Troy, the award to be made next Spring. The seed will be the best obtainable. The association will have it tested for impurities by the State or National Department of Agriculture.

Bodies Recovered.

The body of Youngs Little, one of the young men drowned on May 7, while attempting to ford the Chemung near Wellsburg, was found Saturday afternoon last. Libian Goldsmith and George Woodhouse, who were dragging the river, discovered the body lying on the bottom in an eddy at the foot of a rift below the railroad bridge, half a mile below the place where the men were drowned. The body of Harry Bowman, the other unfortunate young man, was found Tuesday afternoon.

Three Young Men Drowned.

Three young men living near Liberty, in Tioga county, were drowned in a small pond near their homes Saturday. They were in a row boat with a man by the name of Herby Werline. The boat sprung aleak and all jumped overboard. None but Werline managed to reach the shore. The drowned are: Harry Grover, aged 24; Roy Grover, aged 17, and Arthur Mase, aged 23 years.

Towandian Complimented.

Charles D. Passage, Jr., was in Owego Friday, called there to tune the concert piano used by Mme. Julie-Rive King, the celebrated pianist. This is a deserved compliment to Mr. Passage's ability as a piano tuner, when it is remembered that Binghamton with its many expert tuners were so much nearer than Towanda.

Will Sow Alfalfa.

The following farmers in Western Bradford are preparing to sow some of their land to alfalfa this year: Fred Knights, Fred Bohlayer, Frank Sims, Fred VanNay, George Rockwell, Richard Simmons, DeWitt Spencer, William DeWitt, Horace Spencer, Joseph Rockwell, Jacob VanNoy, Byron Smith, and Al. Budd.

Talada—Hogan.

LeRoy Talada of South Waverly, and Miss Florence Hogan of Oxford, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hogan, in Oxford on Sunday. Mr. Talada is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy K. Talada of South Waverly. Mr. and Mrs. Talada will reside in Waverly.

Poison Bark Kills Boy.

A news dispatch to the Philadelphia papers from Canton, this county, under date of May 14, says: "The nine years old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wynne while in the woods ate of a poisonous bark and died in a few hours after reaching home.

Galeton to Have Prize Fight.

Joe Wolcott of Boston, a noted colorel boxer, and Eddie K. Morris of Galeton, formerly of San Francisco, will fight ten rounds at Galeton next Monday evening for the gate receipts, the winner to take all. Morris has been training in Wellsboro.

Shot Dog, Hit Man.

The killing of unmuzzled dogs was begun in Wilkes-Barre this week, and Thomas Sheridan was accidentally shot in the abdomen by one of the killers who missed the dog he was aiming at. The wound is not serious but it created much excitement.

False Alarm of Fire.

Some freshike sounded the fire bell about 8 o'clock last evening, and brought out the fire department. The police have a clue as to who did the trick and the chances are he will be arrested and punished for his smartness.

Bridge Viewers Report.

John A. Biles, Edward Walker and D. J. Sweet, appointed to view the bridge near Long Valley in Barclay township, yesterday visited the place and after a full investigation reported in favor of substituting a stone bridge for the present structure.

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FORTUNE IN LONG LOST DEED.

Tioga County Resident Will Endeavor to Recover Property in Dubois.

J. H. Bierley of Sabinsville, in the neighboring county of Tioga, is preparing to make a fight for $350,000 worth of property in Dubois, Pa., as discovery of an old deed, he says, will dispossess the present occupants of the property. Twenty-one years ago Bierley and his wife were residents of Dubois and well-to-do. Because of his impaired physical condition his wife transacted all the business. In the memorable fire of 20 years ago, when Dubois was almost wiped off the map, the Bierleys lost all their buildings, a fortune of $300,000 being swept away. Almost heart-broken, they left Dubois and went to Austin, where a short time afterward they gave up their holdings in Dubois as security for a loan of $35,000. Bierley was under the impression that it was a sale. Sixteen years ago Mrs. Bierley, who always had charge of the papers, died suddenly.

The other day, Bierley, in rummaging about an old trunk, chanced to find a secret compartment. In it was the deed to all the Dubois property and a paper showing that the $35,000 indebtedness was but a loan. The property is now estimated to be worth $350,000. Among the properties is one of the largest hotels of the town. Mr. Bierley has placed the matter in the hands of counsel.

SAME OLD STORY.

Make the Postoffice Force All the Trouble You Can—They Enjoy It.

A gentleman who has probably observed the trend of things at the postoffice has handed in the following for publication.

"No letters will be delivered until received. If you don't get a letter or paper on the day you expect it, have the postmaster or clerks look through all the boxes and in the cellar also. It ought to be there somewhere, and they like to look for it just to please you. If your friends don't write curse the postmaster and the clerks, they are to blame. If they tell you there is no mail for you, put on a grieved expression and say: 'There ought to be some.' They are probably hiding your mail for the pleasure of having you call for it two or three times a day. Ask them to look again."

Disguised Circulars.

"Sometimes it is worth while to disguise a circular so that a man cannot help opening it," remarks a business magazine. So it is—if it's worth while to use circulars at all. But why resort to trickery and subterfuge for an oppertunity to tell unwilling listeners about your goods when it's easier and cheaper to unfold your tale to willing hearers in the columns of the daily newspaper? The victim of a circular bunco game is seldom in a receptive frame of mind after he has penetrated the hand-bill's disguise. Striking methods pay only when they strike at the right time. The right time is when the "prospect is reading his favorite paper.

Annual County Field Day.

The second annual Field day of the Bradford County Inter-Scholastic Athletic association will be held at Alparon park, Saturday, May 23. A list of the events follow: Hundred-yard dash, mile run, high jump, 440-yard run, running broad jump, 220-yard low hurdle, two-mile run, pole vault, hammer throw, half-mile run, shot put, 220-yard run. Several of the athletic associations of the county will be represented. Admission to the grounds will be 25 cents.

Markers Placed.

The markers procured by the George Clymer Chapter, D. A. R. of Towanda, for the graves of Revolutionary soldiers were placed this week. Four went to Cole's, being for Benjamin Bosworth, Jonathan Fowler, John Shrader, and Rudolph Fox; two were placed in Riverside over the graves of Ozias Bingham and James Dickey; one to Oak Hill for Dr. Caleb W. Miles. Each marker contains the name of the soldier and the regiment to which he belonged.

Troy School Faculty Changes.

Miss Hazel Pearson of the Troy school faculty, has accepted a position as teacher of music at Pennington Seminary, and Miss Jeannette Miller, preceptress, who sails for Germany, France Switzerland and Italy, June 6, by the Princess Essen, will take an excellent position in the Fall in the Bradford schools, if she doesn't remain to study in Germany, which she is now contemplating.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement is announced of Frank Adams Mitchell, formerly of Troy, to Miss Helen Judson Dye of Chicago. Miss Dye is a member of the junior class of the University of Chicago, and the announcement was made at a luncheon given in her honor last Saturday, by one of her classmates.

Increased Pensions.

Through Congressman Kipp, the following Bradford county veterans have been granted increased pensions: Captain G. W. Kilmer of Towanda from $18 to $30; William Hewitt of New Albany to $30; John G. Grant of New Albany to $30.

Miss Gerda Maryott, who has been very ill with rheumatism for some time, is slowly improving. She was able to be taken out on the porch yesterday.

STATE TEACHERS' MEETING.

Will Be Held This Year at State College From July 6 to 9.

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Educational association will be held this year at State College, July 6 to 9. It is expected that more than 1,000 persons will be present, including college presidents, normal school superintendents, high school principals and teachers, and already arrangements are well advanced for the entertainment of the crowd.

The program will be one of the best ever prepared, and will include Dr. G. Stanley Hall, General James A. Beaver, Dr. Theodore B. Noss, Miss Sarah C. Loveland, Dr. Thomas F. Hunt, Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, Dr. W. Scott Nearing, Dr. Joseph S. Walton, and Dr. Stanley Brown, principal of the Joliet, Ill., high school.

Those in charge of the kindergarten, manual training, high school and nature study departments have secured talented men and women to discuss subjects along the line of their special work. The members of the convention will be given every opportunity of visiting the different departments of the college, and will see some of the most complete laboratories in the country.

All those interested in popular education are urged to attend this meeting of the convention by the State college faculty and to spend a few days at the institution for the purpose of seeing the work that is being done there in science, dairying, manual training, scientific farming and the various branches of engineering.

WANTS $20,000 DAMAGES.

Italian Hurt Near Laquin Brings Suit Against Lumber Company.

A damage suit growing out of the accident on the Laquin Lumber company's log road near Laquin on April 12, which resulted in the death of seven Italians and the serious injury of several others, was started yesterday, when Giovonnio Donofrio, through his next friend, P. C. Gori, filed papers with Prothonotary Gordon, asking $20,000 damages. David E. Kaufman is attorney for the plaintiff.

Donofrio was on the flat car which was ahead of the runaway engine on that fateful morning, and was among those thrown off and injured. It is alleged he has been crippled for life, as a result of his injuries.

Prizes For Children.

In order to create interest and promote the idea of a "city beautiful," the Towanda Village Improvement society will give a prize to the boy or girl who cultivates the prettiest flower bed in Towanda. Children wishing to enter the contest can do so by becoming members of the Children's Department of the Improvement society, by paying a fee of five cents. Through the courtesy of Congressman Kipp, the Improvement society has received an assortment of flower seeds to be used by the children, which can be had on application to any of the following: Mrs. Parrott, Mrs. W. W. Rooker, Mrs. Henry Newell and Mrs. Schumauch.

Wants to Die.

Thomas Willis, the convicted murderer of Cameron Cool, a wealthy horseman, whose attorneys are now striving to get him a new trial, is weary of life in the Luzerne county jail at Wilkes-Barre, and says he would rather be hanged at once than to spend much longer time in prison.

On Automobile Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welles, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kuykendall, Jr., left Towanda Sunday afternoon in Mr. Welles's large touring car for a trip through the Southern part of the state and into Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall will stop in Harirsburg for a visit, and Mr. and Mrs. Welles will journey on to Hagerstown, Md.

A Lazy Liver

May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs. A torpid liver is but an indication of an ill-nourished, enfeebled body whose organs are weary with over work. Start with the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in working order and see how quickly your liver will become active. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipated or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, despondent, frequent headaches, pain or distress in "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, "risings" or sour "risings" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or cure you more permanently than Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to its use until you are vigorous and strong.

The "Discovery" is non-secret, non-alcoholic, is a glyceric extract of native medicinal roots with a full list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Its ingredients are endorsed and extolled by the most eminent medical writers of the age and are recommended to cure the diseases for which it is advised.

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Reporter-Journal AND BRADFORD REPUBLICAN

TOWANDA, PA., MA Y21, 1908.

Canton stores will be closed all day Memorial day.

For a change, Saturday and Sunday were bright and warm.

Both picture shows did a tremendous business Saturday night.

Phillip Davis of LeRaysville, was in the City of Promise Thursday.

A social will be held in the South Towanda chapel Saturday evening.

Malcolm Macfarlane is seriously ill at the Macfarlane home on Poplar street.

Miss Mary Middendorf of Wyalusing, is spending a couple of days in Towanda.

Mrs. George M. Decker returned Tuesday from an extended visit in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Lehigh employees have been ordered to wear their summer uniforms after May 15.

Ashley has a high school chorus of 100 voices in training for the commencement exercises.

P. E. Long of New Albany, has opened a barber shop in Meredith's hotel at Monroeton.

Ed. Mouillesseaux, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis a few days ago, is improving slowly.

A letter addressed 'Reporter-Journal, City of Promise, Pa.," reached this office safely yesterday.

Towanda was a lively place Saturday. It is estimated that 5,000 strangers were in town during the day.

It is now time for The Review to announce that 1908 celebration it promised a year ago.—Monroeton Enterprise.

F. D. Robbins, assistant cashier of the First National bank of LeRaysville, is driving a fine new Jackson touring car.

Worth W. Jennings has purchased a fine new Elmore touring car. It is one of the most handsome cars in this section.

R. F. Jones closed his barber shop on Monday and has returned to his home in Towanda township.—Monroeton Enterprise.

The commencement exercises of the Towanda high school will be held in Hale's Opera House on Wednesday evening, June 10.

The Red Men will give another popular dance in Eagle hall on Friday evening, June 5. The Germania orchestra will furnish music.

The Eagle minstrels will be given on Friday evening, May 29, instead of on the evening of Memorial day. Tickets are now being sold.

June brides should order their invitations or announcements at this office. Engraved or letter press work in the very latest and most desirable styles.

Rev. W. Quay Rosselle of Williamsport, will deliver an address at the commencement exercises of the Monroeton high school on Friday evening, May 29.

The soldiers' and sailors' monument to be erected at Bloomsburg will be ready for dedication at the veterans' reunion to be held there in September.

The LeRaysville creamery is receiving about 3,000 pounds of milk daily. This is about one-fifth the amount furnished during the flush of the season.

A proposition is being made to the stockholders of the People's Bank, Wilkes-Barre, that the capital stock of the bank be increased from $150,000 to $400,000.

The story of a romantic courtship culminating in marriage in Towanda published in The Daily Review several weeks ago, is still going the rounds of the press.

The Towanda Silk Mill company's plant on Plank Road street, is now working full time, giving employment to 50 operatives. The force will be enlarged in the near future.

The Germania concert and dance in Eagle hall Friday evening, was one of the enjoyable social events of the season. The Germanias produce music that is all right in every respect.

An even $200 was added to the building fund of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage by the entertainment given by the children from the Home, in Hale's Opera House last Saturday evening.

The annual banquet of the Troy High School Alumni association will be held Monday evening, June 1, at the home o Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell in Elmira street. St. Paul's Guild will serve.

Mrs. G. N. Johnson who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. H. Johnson at Sayre, and her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Passage at Towanda, during the past two weeks, has returned to her home here.—LeRaysville Times.

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DIFFERENT CROSSING WANTED.

Change Desired at Dangerous Morley's Crossing South of Athens.

Sayre the Sayre Times-Record: "A movement is on foot to compel the Lehigh to make such changes in the highway at Morley's crossing as to more nearly conform with the state road at that point.

"Morley's crossing is a short distance South of Athens and at that point the highway raises several feet and then crosses the tracks at grade. The state built a road on either side of the crossing but when the raise was reached the state refused to lay macadam. At that time there was a dispute as to whether the state or the railroad company should make the necessary improvements. For a time it was thought advisable to carry the highway over the tracks on a viaduct and then it was thought best to tunnel under the tracks. But nothing was done and as a result there is a break in the state road. Automobiles and other vehicles driven rapidly on the state road are compelled to go slow when near Morley's crossing and as a result there is a public demand for improvements at that point. The movement which is now on foot is backed by many influential citizens and after legal opinion has been secured more decisive action will be taken."

Looking For Accommodations.

Finding accommodations for the five or six hundred delegates who will be in Sayre Wednesday and Thursday, May 27 and 28 to attend the Prohibition State convention is proving a perplexing problem to the members of the party who have taken it upon themselves to find places for them. The hotels will accommodate only a small part of those who will attend, and it will be necessary for the large majority to find places at private houses. The members of the party make an appeal to the People of Athens, Sayre and Waverly to make preparations to accommodate the delegates. In making this it is not asked that it be done gratutiously but regular hotel rates will be willingly paid. The rate per day will not be less than $1.50 and for the better accommodations $2 will be the price. Sayre claims to be the biggest town in the county, but it seems as if the claim is not well founded when accommodations for 600 people cannot be found. Towanda hotels can care for that many strangers on six minutes notice.

Another Big Verdict.

At Elmira Friday another big verdict was given against the Lehigh in the case of John W. Morey of VanEtten. Morey sued for injuries sustained when driving over the South Hill street crossing in VanEtten in November, 1906. He was riding on a load of wood. The planks were out of the crossing and he alleged that in crossing the tracks he was jostled on the load so as to injure his spine. He is now unable to work and walks on two canes. It was alleged Morey sustained a fracture of the lower bone of the spine and injuries to the spinal cord and brain so that his back and legs are practically paralyzed. The jury awarded him $9,000.

Pigs Looped the Loop.

Lehigh Valley stock car No. 89,669, loaded with 155 pigs left Buffalo in the first section of symbol train B. J. No. 4, and when it arrived at Jersey City it was found that there was a hole in one side of the car. The hole was not large but a pig could crawl through, as any farmer can testify. When the train was passing through Ulster two of the piggies jumped through the hole and later were captured by section hands and then when the train was passing through Laceyville another pig jumped. How many more were strung along the Lehigh right-of-way between Buffalo and Jersey City, the deponent knoweth not.—Sayre Times-Record.

Fire at New Albany.

Fire of unknown origin completely gutted the home of J. K. Silvara at New Albany Thursday evening about 5 o'clock. The interior of the house was completely burned out and the furniture was practically ruined by fire and water. The fire company did great work and prevented the complete destruction of the house. The loss is heavy.

Former Trojan Elected Superintendent

Dr Daniel Fleisher, formerly of Troy, has just been elected superintendent of the public schools of Columbia, Lancaster county, for a term of three years, for the fourth consecutive time. Dr. Fleisher's election was unanimous. There are 50 teachers and nearly 2,000 children in Dr. Fleisher's jurisdiction. The salary remains the same, $1,600 a year.

May Increase Capital Stock.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Canton and LeRoy Farmers' Telephone company will be held at the office of Stone & Brooks, in Canton on Monday, June 8, at which time the question of increasing the capital stock from $5,000 to $10,000 will be voted upon.

Strenuous Times.

Last Friday was Lehigh pay-day and judging from the stories published in the Athens News and Sayre Times-Record of Saturday, there were strenuous doings in the Northern end of the county. Boozing, fighting and attaching of wages was the general order of things. Such primitive capers are no longer known in progressive Towanda.

FISH LAW EXTRACTS.

Fishermen Should Cut This Out and Paste in Their Hats.

The open season is as follows: Trout, from April 15 to July 31, inclusive; striped bass or rockfish and shad, Jan. 1 to June 20; rock bass, white bass, strawberry or grass bass, black bass, sunfish, blue pike, pickerel and pike perch, June 15 to Feb. 15. An unlimited number of all the above kinds of fish except trout, of which but 50 may be taken in a day; provided no rock bass, white bass or strawberry bass is less than five inches in length; no black bass less than seven inches in length when caught within the state or nine inches if taken from boundary waters; no striped bass, blue pike, wall-eyed pike or pike perch less than nine inches, or trout less than six inches. Wild ducks, wild geese or any of so-called water fowl may be killed only between Sept. 1 and April 10; penalty, $10.

The law authorizes the spearing of carp, suckers and eels, but says the prongs of any spear so used shall not be less than one-half inch apart.

Any citizen of the commonwealth may prosecute violators of the fish laws.

Wild brook trout cannot be lgally bought or sold, at any time.

Trout artificially raised may be bought and sold for food during the open season for the catching of wild brook trout, and for six days thereafter, but at no other time. It is lawful to fish in all waters of this commonwealth that have been declared navigable by act of assembly, or public by common law, or grant, or usage.

Carp, suckers, mullets and eels may now be speared from May 1 to Oct. 31, in streams other than trout streams.

Suckers, catfish, carp and eels may be taken in fish baskets with wing walls from the 15th day of August to the first day of December next following.

It has been held that the leaving of an outline in the water, with hooks attached during the daytime or on Sunday, said hooks being baited or unbaited, is a violation of the law.

Lamphere is in California.

Daniel Lamphere, a former resident of this section, is not in the Laporte, Indiana, jail charged with murder and being the accomplice of the notorious Mrs. Guinness. He is very much at liberty in California, and is prospering, according to distant relatives living in Towanda, who have heard from him recently. The Ray Lamphere in the Laporte jail may have a wife living near Towanda but no one knows her or has ever heard of her.

Change in R. F. D. Schedule.

Carrier on route No. 5, who has been leaving Towanda postoffice at 11 a. m., will leave at 8 a. m., beginning May 18. The department has made this change in response to a petition signed by a large majority of the patrons of the route who find the earlier service much preferable to the latter service which took effect on the first of May.

"Don't Advertise.

A marriage license was issued to a couple from New York state yesterday, and on the leaf of the marriage license docket was fastened a slip of paper on which was written "Don't Advertise." The reading of the license disclosed the fact that the man was 75 years of age, the bride-to-be 50, and that the groom-elect's wife has been sleeping the last long sleep but six days.

Letter From Laporte.

Chief Miller is in receipt of a letter from the Sheriff of Laporte county, Indiana, stating that the Ray Lamphere in jail at Laporte, is a native of that section, his parents live near there and to the best of their knowledge he has never been outside of Indiana. This sets at rest the story that Lamphere formerly lived near Towanda and now has a wife living near here.

Phinney—Lamberson.

Allen M. Phinney of Canton, and Florence A. Lamberson of Powell, were married on May 13, 1908, at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church in Towanda, Rev. O. A. Houghton officiating.

Kidney Disease Kills.

Thousands Never Suspect That They Have It.

It is now generally admitted that diseases of the kidneys and bladder constitute the greatest source of disease. Cure these and we remove the cause of nearly all ailments of the Liver, Blood, Stomach and Bowels. But the approach of Kidney disease is so sly and gradual that the first symptoms may not be noticed. Here are some of the most common symptoms of this dangerous disease:

Discolored or dark urine, sometimes excessive and of pale color.
Unusual desire to urinate, especially at night.
"Brick Dust" deposits, sometimes containing albumen and blood.
Swelling around eyes, ankles and abdomen.
Drowsiness and a constant tired feeling.
Pale, hot and dry skin.
Pain in the back, headache, cramps in the legs.
Bowels constipated, digestion impaired.
Rheumatic pains in the joints and muscles.

If you have any of the above symptoms your kidneys need immediate attention, and Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy should be taken at once. Do you know what will happen if you neglect these symptoms? Bright's Disease, most terrible, is nearly always the outcome. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has cured thousands of kidney disease, and we have the positive proof. It will cure you. Send to Dr. David Kennedy's Sons, Rondout, N. Y., for a free sample bottle and medical booklet. Large bottles $1.00, at all druggists.

A POSTAL RULING.

Abuse of Privilege of Mailable Merchandise on Rural Routes.

A news dispatch from Washington says: Information has reached the Postoffice Department of certain methods by which the postal laws in regard to mailable and unmailable merchandise on rural routes have been evaded. Rural carriers are permitted to deliver as express matter for hire, for patrons of their routes, unmailable merchandise and packages of mailable merchandise weighing in excess of four pounds. An example of the abuse of this privilege is that of a merchant who sent out by rural carriers as mail matter a pair of shoes, to which he added a bag of salt to make the package overweigh and to avoid postage so that the carrier might carry the package for him.

In view of such abuses, Fourth Assistant Postmater General De Graw has issued the following statement:

"All packages of merchandise to be sent out by rural carriers by merchants of the town should be presented at postoffices for inspection, and in case it is found that extraneous matter not ordered by the patrons has been added to any mailable matter or package for the purpose of making such packages of matter unmailable, postmasters should refuse to permit the carrier to carry any such matter or package for hire outside of the mails, and rural carriers should not receive mail matter from patrons as unmailable matter for hire which they suspect has been made unmailable by such devices as adopted by the merchant referred to."

D. A. R. Meeting.

The May meeting of the George Clymer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Ashmun Parsons, 20 members responding to roll call. The committee having in charge the marking of the graves of Revolutionary soldiers reported their work completed, seven graves having been suitably marked. Reports of the work of the National Congress, which was held in Washington the week commencing April 20th, were given by the delegates, Mrs. John D. Mercur and Mrs. E. L. Smith. In connection with this was also given a short report of the proceedings of the congress of the Children of the American Revolution which was held at the same time, a chapter of which is to be organized here. After adjourning, refreshments were served by the hostess.

A Galeton Invention.

William Herrington and George Shoemaker have finished the construction of an auto sled, the first successful one ever built in this country. The machine is run with two sets of sleds applied to a standard stock auto, driven by spiked wheels. Messrs, Herrington and Shoemaker, in trials with the machine during the past Winter were able to attain a speed of about the same as with wheels. They are making added improvements to the machine and by the time snow flies next season hope to have it entirely perfected, when we shall be able to give a more thorough and complete description of it. The inventors intend to manufacture their auto sleds here in Galeton and are putting up a machine shop for that purpose and for general auto repair work.—Leader-Dispatch.

Dumping Drunken Strikebreakers.

Lehigh detectives practically threw nine strikebreakers aboard train No. 4 Saturday afternoon. The men had been drunk Friday night, Saturday morning they were not in condition to work, and as the Lehigh had no further use for them they were shipped back to Philadelphia. The men did not want to depart so the Lehigh detectives forced them aboard the train. No. 146 took another delegation of strikebreaking boozers from Sayre during the afternoon.—Sayre Times-Record.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters in the Towanda postoffice for the week ending May 12, 1908: Ladies — Allen, Mrs. Leta; Watts, Mrs. George; Witsell, Mrs. Delia. Gents—Brainard, B. T. (2); Hogan, C. E.; Ruff, G. (2); Smith, Arthur; Smith, J.; Vanderpool, Dorcy; Wescott, E. M. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on May 26, 1908, unless delivered before. In calling for the same please say "Advertised," giving date of list. D. M. Turner, Postmaster.

Mysterious Smoke.

During the sessions in the Masonic lodge Wednesday evening, the main lodge room became filled with smoke and the first supposition was that the block was on fire. A thorough search was made, but no fire could be found. Rather than take any chances the Masons employed a watchman who spent the night in the rooms. Considerable excitement was caused and all are at a loss to explain the source of the smoke.

Will Attend Divine Service.

The members of Watkins Post, G. A. R., and Washington Camp, No. 190, P. O. S. of A., will attend in a body divine services in the Universalist church on Sunday, May 24. Rev. Mr. Abbott, pastor of the church will deliver a special sermon.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued on Thursday to Oscar Rinker of Sayre, and Myra Phelps of East Smithfield; Fred E. Cunningham of Columbia X Roads, and Mary M. Smith of Troy.

MET HORRIBLE FATE.

Celebrated All-Stars Slaughtered By Russell's Regulars.

Swatfestically speaking and baseballically meaning, it was a horrible fate the celebrated All-Stars met at the hands of Russell's Regulars late Thursday afternoon on the East Side door yard. The game was filled with horrors, any one of which would make the Laporte, Indiana, murder mystery look like a basket picnic in comparison.

The score was—whisper it—ten to three in favor of the boys who will wear new uniforms and go against the Athens larrupers on the East Side pasture tomorrow afternoon. There were 3,000 people, more or less, principally less, who laughed and yelled until they had to go to supper watching the Stars and Regulars playing "hoss" with one another in an endeavor to be convicted of a victory.

The Regulars won by poor base running, hard-luck hitting, unfortunate fielding and dissatisfactory throwing on the part of the All-Stars. Outside of that the Stars shone very brightly, and gave a good account of themselves.

Hoyt Tracy, the heavist with 97 varieties of crooks and slants, was sent in to hurl for the Stars and he did exceedingly well. He only allowed three safe kisslets, two of which should have been easy outs to Loomis and Kline, outer gardeners, who absolutely refused to associate with the sphereoid without an introduction. Loomis came within 63 feet, actual measurement, of catching one of the high flies, on which two men trotted over the slab and were patted on the back by their mothers for their heroic work. Several other base runners would have come in on the same hit, but they were not that kind of fellows, and Harry Hurry was saved the blame by their overwhelming generosity. Walter Alwaysthere Evans was the bright star of the outfield, as he had three put outs, catching high flies just as if he could not help it. Audley Afterthem Ryan who succeeded Kline in the left hay field played like a demon and backed up the infield when that branch of the little army needed backing.

Louis Layemover Frisbie, the postoffice phenom, was sent in to relieve Tracy along in the fifth stanza and he scared some of the regulars so they will not want to eat fudge again for several days. Frisbie has got more steam and curves than any heaver in the City of Promise and when he is in trim he throws the ball so crooked that but few batsmen can spell able sufficiently to straighten them out into hits. He pitched superbly but like Tracy was minus support at critical stages and the rest is terrible. Thomas Stopemtommy Scott was behind the marble for the Stars and he caught well, but his throwing was "out of sight," that is, almost. He threw to second once, and at last reports the ball was still going, having soared over South Mountain. Then he threw to third, and the sphereoid came within an inch and three quarters of knocking a brick out of the chimney on the East Side hotel. That is what Tommy did, and he did not do half bad at that. Had he done worse he would have been lured to a quiet, cool and shady spot and assassinated.

Edward Everytime Gunn on first, was right there and did gilt edge work as did George Gotoit Rockwell at third, and Adelbert Lunchem Jackson at short. Baker the All-Star second baseman, did not do anything to speak of, all reports to the contrary, notwithstanding. He had one putout but nobody saw it.

For the Regulars a great deal could be said, but it would not be treating them right. Hulet Turner did the catching and did it well as usual. Russell sent three different tossists to the rubber and they all had close calls from being drubbed unmercifully. Moscrip, the "find" if you please, was the first, then came Parsons followed by Bazzett. Not one of them was good hearted so to speak and while they were hit freely it was not to any extent as the Stars would not run the bases too well for anything. Russell played first, Smith held down the second stuffed flour sack, Corbett was at the third station and Bazzett and Moscrip, while not otherwise engaged, played at short. Spencer was in the left garden, McMahon adorned the centerpiece, and J. Ryan performed in right garden. They all played fairly well, but they could not help it as they were set a good example. Comment on their playing would be discaslubrious, and devoid of all oxcosox and wurrestingly gallantry.

Dr. F. P. Layman officiated as umpire, and hopes are entertained for his recovery. He performed in a conscientions manner, doing what he thought was right, all of which was objected to by the All-Stars. Evans was hit with a ball while at bat, but "his umps" would not let him take first, then it thundered. He called several of the Stars out and pronounced strikes which did not have pure food labels thus annoying some of the swat artists. All in all he could have done worse, otherwise he was a very good referee.

'Twas a long game thus the long story.

Money in Calves.

It would seem that the farmers do not believe that there is any money in raising calves to two year olds, from the large number that are shipped from this station every week. Not a week goes by but that a car load is shipped from Wyalusing, most of them coming from Eastern Bradford and Susquehanna counties.—Wyalusing Rocket.

ARRANGING FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

G. A. R., P. O. S. of A., and Citizens' Committees Appointed.

The following committees which have been appointed by the Grand Army and the Patriotic Sons of America, will hold a meeting at Grand Army room, this evening at 8 o'clock:

Arrangements, by the G. A. R. E. D. Payne, commander of Post, J. Andrew Wilt, John H. Chaffee, D. J. Sweet, F. H. Warriner. By the P. O. S. of A., A. R. Brutzman, H. C. Crevling, O. L. Smiley.

Finance, By G. A. R. E. J. Ayres, D. J. Sweet, J. N. Califf. By P. O. S. of A. C. C. Smith, C. E. Potter.

Flowers, by G. A. R. Elisha Cole, Charles Harman, John Henly, L. Harris, Charles Rutty, M. M. Spalding, H. A. Vail, Bishop Horton. By P. O. S. of A. F. C. Lament, E. W. Gaylord, H. O. Travis, Joseph Campbell, M. E. Shaylor.

Hall, Etc. By G. A. R. A. J. Fisher, A. F. Eddy, John Meredith. By P. O. S. of A. J. W. Hainsworth, John Faust, Thomas Strange.

Music, Etc. By G. A. R. H. G. Blair, Charles T. Bazzette, Alonzo Chapman. By P. O. S. of A. C. C. Smith, O. L. Smiley.

The following have been named as a Citizens' committee, to aid the above named committees in arranging for a proper observance of Memorial day: D. T. Evans, A. M. Baker, U. M. Fell, J. K. Newell, D. M. Turner, W. G. Gordon, C. F. Heverly, E. A. Parsons, A. C. Blackwell, M. J. Long.

A general meeting of all persons above named on the various committees will be held at the Post room this evening at 8 o'clock. By order of E. D. Payne, Commander; J. Andrew Wilt, Adjutant.

Resolutions Adopted.

At a meeting of Watkins Post, Grand Army of the Republic, held Saturday afternoon, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That we request all games of base ball and sports of all character be dispensed with on Memorial day at Towanda, in order that May 30 be observed as Memorial day. That we also request all places of business be closed during the Memorial day exercises in the afternoon."

Will Deliver Memorial Day Address.

Watkins Post, No. 68, G. A. R., has secured Col. R. H. Holgate, Esq., of Scranton, to deliver th eannual Memorial day address in Towanda. Col. Holgate is a talented speaker, and will be greeted by a large audience.

APPEAL REFUSED.

Supreme Court Will Not Consider the Homet-Singer Case.

The supreme court in session in Philadelphia, has refused the appeal from the superior court in the Homet-Singer case carried up from the court of common pleas of Bradford county. This means Singer, the plaintiff, wins the case.

The litigation grows out of the leasing of a stone quarry from the late J. A. Homet of Towanda, by M. L. Singer. Mr. Homet before his death, and the executors of his estate, in ejectment proceedings endeavored to annul Singer's lease on the grounds that the terms of the contract had not been fulfilled and for other reasons. Singer contested the case, and when it came in common pleas court, a compulsory non-suit was granted.

Then the case was taken to the superior court, and Judge Fanning was affirmed. From the superior court's affirmation, the cause was carried to the supreme court, and now that tribunal refuses the appeal, which is the same as an affirmation of the judgment of the Bradford county common pleas and the superior court.

Charles M. Culver, Esq., assisted by I. McPherson, Esq., represented Singer, the plaintiff, while J. C. Ingham, Esq., was attorney for the Homet estate.

Father Gets Possession of Child.

Says the Elmira Star-Gazette: "Acting Recorder Buchanan Wednesday afternoon received a report from Timothy S. Pratt, overseer of the poor, on the Heemans case. As a result he decided that little Flossie Heemans, the eight years old child who was taken from the home of her mother on Railroad avenue on Saturday, be turned over to the custody of her father, William Heemans and be placed in a private home in Athens. Mr. Heeman is working in Sayre for a contracting firm and wants possession of the child. The family came here from Towanda last September."

Bill Did Not Pass.

Congressman Kipp's bill asking for a federal building for Towanda, was not among those passed by congress and senate last week. There were so many prior claims for recognition from other congressional districts, that Towanda will have to wait. Mr. Kipp has the assurances of many members of the house that they will lend their assistance and do all in their power to help in the passage of a bill for a federal building for the "City of Promise" next year.

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THE STRAW HAT.

The Man Who Introduces the First One of the Season Is a Hero.

Editorially the New York Herald has the following: The interesting fact is duly recorded in our local news columns that a straw hat made its appearance on Broadway yesterday. It may not seem to the thoughtless reader a news item of tremendous importance, yet it is really of prime consequence to hundreds of thousands of people, and to the careful observer of prophetic signs of the times it easily ranks with that other event which an expectant nation eagerly awaits earlier in the year—the appearance of the groundhog.

The gentleman who had the courage, not to say nerve, to meander up the city's chief thoroughfare yesterday wearing the first sign of Summer is really a public benefactor, though the pessimist may sneer at him as an advance agent of Summer days, a prophetic promulgator of the alleged fact that the period of coughs, rheumatism and lumbago has passed and that we are entering on the glorious days of mosquitoes, malaria and sunstrokes.

The first straw hat on Broadway means, after all, a good deal. It is a sharp reminder of the changing season and of the "life in the open" that comes after a chilly Spring's housing. So the Herald records this morning not only the political, financial, commercial and social news event which directly concerns the pursuit of personal comfort in the near future, that a straw hat made its appearance in this locality yesterday.

What memories it calls up of the season that has passed! What plans it suggests for Summer days to come!

The season that has gone has had its numerous pleasant occurrences in every-day life despite, the financial flurry that not only counseled wise caution but gave the "calamity howlers" opportunity to bray most noisily, if ineffectually.

And when was the outlook more favorable for a charming Summer on mountain-side or by the sea, with the reopening of superbly equipped hotels, the multiplication of comfortable inns and the welcome offered by hostess at the reoccupied and beautiful country houses? With an Aladdin's lamp-like rapidity thousands of lovely cottages have been built in the suburbs, country clubs are increasing in number, and golf links ,tennis courts and other places of outdoor recreation will be found in almost every little hamlet. Sports and outdoor enjoyments of all kinds are in season now, whether one seeks them in rural life or prefers the sturdier excitement of the great race meetings or the national ball game.

What suggestions of delightful days to come, of Summer holidays to be enjoyed, were silently offered in the appearance on Broadway yesterday of the first straw hat in commission in 1908?

Killed by Logs.

Arnold Diser, one of the most respected young men of Galeton, met death Thursday night at 10 o'clock in a shocking manner. He had been driving a milk route, but Thursday went to work moving logs. He was called out at night to help remove a car load and rolled down an incline plane into a pond. Diser was struck by a log and knocked over on two other logs. Before he could regain his feet and get out of the way another log came from the car and struck him on the head, knocking him into the pond. He was immediately dragged out, but it was found that life was extinct as his head had been smashed flat. Diser was about 30 years of age, and is survived by a wife and two children.

WILL PRESENT SENATOR KNOX.

Lieut.-Governor Murphy Will Nominate Pennsylvanian for President.

Lieut.-Governor Robert S. Murphy of Pennsylvania, will present the name of Senator P. C. Knox, Pennsylvania's candidate, to the Republican National convention at Chicago. Mr. Murphy has been invited to perform this office for Senator Knox and has accepted the honor. He is one of the best orators in the state and the friends of the Pennsylvania senator are well pleased at the selection.

Mr. Murphy is a son of Francis Murphy, the great temperance advocate and is recognized as one of the ablest speakers that ever stumped the Keystone state. His home is at Johnstown where he is a leader at the local bar. In 1906 when Gov. Stuart canvassed the state for Mr. Murphy, as the candidate for lieutenant-governor, was a member of the governor's campaigning party and he won a reputation as a stump speaker. He has a fine presence and a wonderful voice and it is certain that every delegate in the hall at Chicago will be able to hear him distinctly.

It is probable that had Charles Emery Smith, the editor of the Philadelphia Press, lived he would have had the honor of nominating Knox, for he and the senator were close friends and Mr. Smith's oratory is known from one end of the country to the other. But in Mr. Murphy will be found the ability to perform the duty in a very acceptable manner and it is believed by his friends that his nominating speech will rank well with the nominating speeches of Ingersoll, Conkling, and others who have swayed Republican national conventions.

ELEVEN WILL GRADUATE.

Nine Young Ladies and Two Young Men Comprise Class of 1908.

Nine young ladies and two young men comprise the graduating class of 1908 of the Towanda High school. The commencement exercises will be held in Hale's opera house on Wednesday evening, June 10. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. O. A. Houghton, D. D., in the First Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday evening, June 7.

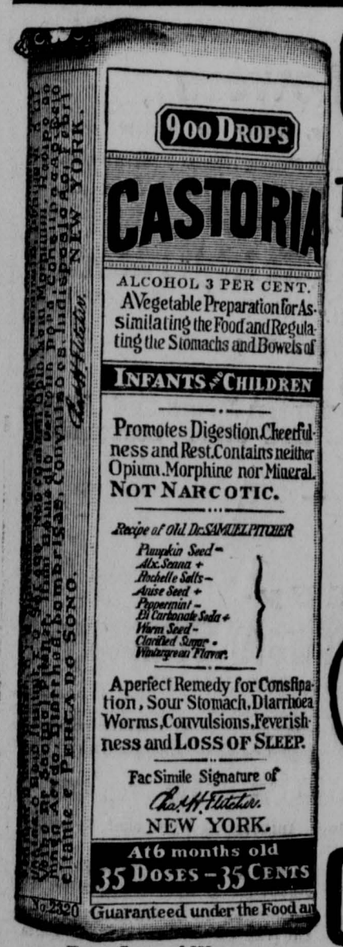
Each graduate has prepared an essay and submitted them to Principal Humphries. The custom of having only the salutatory and valedictory addresses by the graduates will be observed again this year. Music will be a feature of the commencement exercises, and an address will be made by some able speaker yet to be selected.

Following are the graduates:
Chester J. Bresee.
David Rahm Smith.
Beth Lilley.
Rose Marks.
Anna M. Cotter.
Caroyln Eugenia Shiner.
Elsie Chloe Casselberry.
Evelyn Clymer Little.
Maude E. McGill.
Sarah Gertrude Smith.
Vere Elsie MacNeal.

Miss Shiner will make the salutatory address, while Miss MacNeal will be the valedictorian.

Tickets Will Be Good.

Since issuing the tickets for the Eagle minstrels, the date of the performance has been changed from the evening of May 30, to Friday evening, May 29. The tickets many of which have been sold, bear the date of May 30, and this is to give notice that such tickets are good and will be honored at the door on the night of the show, or in exchange for reserved seats on presentation at Kirby's drug store.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BERNICE FATALITY.

David Herst Dies From Injuries Received in Connel Mine.

STRUCK BY FALL OF ROCK.

Unfortunate Miner Lived But a Few Minutes After Being Removed From the Mine—He Was a Long Time and Respected Resident of Bernice.

The Connel coal mine at Bernice, was the scene of a fatal accident Tuesday morning. David Herst, a miner, was struck by a fall of rock and was so badly injured that he lived but a short time after being taken from the mine.

The unfortunate man was about 50 years of age, and his entire life had been spent in the mines. He was employed in the Bernic mines for nearly 25 years, and was considered one of the most careful and trustworthy men in the workings.

He was a sober and industrious man, well liked and highly regarded by his fellow workmen and the people of Bernice in general. A wife and several children mourn his untimely and tragic demise.

QUICK CAPTURE.

Chief Miller and Officer Watson Take Lyman Heeman, Jr., Into Custody.

Tuesday Chief Miller received a letter from the superintendent of the Huntington reformatory asking him to arrest Lyman Heeman, Jr., a paroled prisoner, wanted at the institution. An hour later, Heeman was in the county jail, having been captured by Chief Miller and Special Officer Watson.

Young Heeman has been a bad actor. It was he who while incarcerated in the Sayre lockup, let daylight through the roof, and then crawled out, making his escape. Later he was arrested for larceny and sent to the reformatory. Op April 6, last, he was paroled to Peter Sickler of Towanda township, and as soon as the fishing season opened Heeman broke parole and was his own boss.

Tuesday he happened back in town from a trip down the river, reaching here about the time that the letter to Chief Miller asking for his arrest did. The chief saw him on the street, but knew it would be useless to attempt to catch him, as Heeman is a swift runner and can distance most of the boys, so he decided to wait. About 9 o'clock in the evening, accompanied by Officer Watson, the chief went to the home of Lyman Heeman, Sr., in the "red row" on South Main street. Officer Watson went to the front door while the chief went to the basement door. A little maneuvering caused young Heeman to slide into the basement into hiding, where he was found by Chief Miller who opened the basement door and walked in at an opportune moment. The wanted man was very much surprised, but did not resist, and a few minutes later was safely in the county jail.

He will be taken back to the reformatory, and will not be paroled again right away.

ANTI-SALOON CONFERENCE.

Plans for Campaign to Be Discussed at Convention in Harrisburg.

Superintendent Nicholson, of the Anti-Saloon League, has called a conference of league workers in the state to meet at the state headquarters in Harrisburg in an all-day session May 26.

The conference will be held in connection with the state headquarters' committee of the league, and will consider in detail all matters pertaining to league work, especially the management of the local option campaign before the election in November.

It is hinted that there may be some decided changes in the conduct of the campaign from the local option standpoint. Superintendent Nicholson says that it is the first session of the kind that has ever been held by the league in the state, and has been called to consider plans and methods of procedure. He says that the claim that has been put forth by the liquor men that local option is defeated is all wrong, and that the local optionists have more than a chance to elect in November a majority of men in both houses of the legislature who will support a local option measure.

Brought Him to Time.

Chester, with its trolly boycott, is not the whole cheese factory. The ladies of Shinglehouse, Potter county, inaugurated a boycott on the opera house of that town recently that amounted to extensive proportions in a short time. The ladies had made arrangements for a ball and had secured the opera house, as they supposed, but were afterwards informed that they could not have it. The ladies promptly circulated a paper and secured the names of a hundred ladies who agreed not to enter the opera house unless the manager relented or the house changed management. The opera house man came to time and the ball was held and was a thorough success.

He Will Be Busy.

William Ritz, the new high constable of Sayre borough, is enforcing the anti-spitting ordinance in the shop town with a vengeance. William has been out of work since the boilermakers' strike started, but he will be busy from now on.

PECULIAR ROBBERY.

Tioga County Hotel Man in and Out $1,000 in Brief Space of Time.

The Wellsboro Republican Advocate tells the following interesting story of an unusual robbery:

"To be a thousand dollars out and then a thousand dollars in was the experience of Proprietor E. G. Joseph of the Nelson house at Nelson, Tioga county, within three hours on Friday morning last.

"When Mr. Joseph awoke it was to find that his bedroom had been rifled during the night by a thief.

"His loss, so far as hastily inventoried, consisted of a 'grey coat and vest, size 46,' in which reposed an open-faced gold watch and last, but not least, $1,000 in private notes and two contract order books of the International Harvester company.

While Mr. Joseph was busy inditing a reward bill a neighbor came in with the information that the entire outfit had been thrown aside in a woodshed, evidently cast aside in disgust by Mr. Raffles.

"The burglar raised a window leading into the hotel dining room, tiptoed upstairs, passed through a bedroom occupied by Mr. Joseph's little son, Carl, and as the hotel man slumbered peacefully went through the room in search of loot.

"Curiously enough, no other room in the hotel was visited. The hotel office where most of the valuables were stored and the hotel silver chest were passed up.

"Seven years old Carl Joseph heard the burglar. He heard a board in the floor creek and saw a shadow between the ben and his window. 'Papa,' he called shrilly, 'there's someone in my room.' Mr. Joseph thought Carl was in the throes of a nightmare, 'oh it's your imagination,' he replied; 'go back to sleep.'

"In one of the guest chambers there was a roll of $400 in crisp greenbacks hidden under a pillow, but the nocturnal visitor did not seek to make the acquaintance of any of the guests of the house.

"Mr. Joseph said later: 'It was one of the neatest jobs I ever heard of. Although I am a light sleeper I heard nothing suspicious during the night and not until morning did I have the slightest inkling that someone had appropriated my clothes, my watch and about $1,000 in personal notes. The funny part of the whole deal is the coincidence that I happened to have these notes in my pocket over night. It is not my usual custom to leave much of anything except my watch in my clothes.'"

SULLIVAN COUNTY COURT.

Towanda Attorneys Interested in Cases Tried and on Trial.

Sullivan county court opened in Laporte on Monday, and while there are but seven cases on the docket, great interest is being manifested. William Maxwell, David E. Kaufman, W. P. Wilson, and Judge Dunham, well known members of the Bradford county bar, are interested in some of the cases.

Messrs. Maxwell and Kaufman represented Jay Jacobson, charged with larceny. After the commonwealth had completed its case, the attorneys for the defense asked that the jury be instructed to return a verdict of acquittal, which was done.

The case of the commonwealth vs. Frank Haverly, charged with adultry, is now on trial. This is the Haverly-Heverly case which involves two men and one woman, and which had an inning before arbitrators in Towanda in an alienation of affection action several months ago. William P. Wilson of Towanda, is attorney for Haverly.

William Maxwell and Judge Dunham are interested as attorneys in two important cases yet to be tried.

Jammed the Justice.

Sayre is certainly a lulu of a burg, when not even the dispensers of justice are safe from abuse and assault. Bob Cogswell, a well known character about Sayre was arrested on divers charges, mostly for unpaid bills, and after he had settled them, he took a poke at Sereno P. Nelson, high muckyorum of the imporium of justice. The justice went to the mat for not quite the count, raising before the fateful ten had been ticked. Cogswell was not arrested for the assault as "hishonor" is game to the core and acknowledged he was the aggressor, and had he not attempted to put a quietus on Cogswell via the dry knock route there would have been no jamming of the justice.

Pneumonia Takes Three.

Pneumonia has claimed three members of one family within the past 18 days, the death of Melville G. Stark of Honesdale, Saturday being the third. Charles Stark, son of the above, was the first victim, dying April 30. He was followed by L. H. Horton, son-in-law, of Scranton, on May 9, and then came the death of Mr. Stark on Saturday.

Big Crowds Were Out.

Hundreds of people took advantage of the reduction of the street car fare from Waverly to Athens Sunday, and each car was crowded. A few open cars were run over the line and the rush for seats was more than unusual. There is no question but that the large traffic was mostly for pleasure.

Long—Decker.

Married, at the Ward House, in Towanda, on Monday, May 18, by Rev. George Ballentine, Winfield Long and Miss Susie Decker, both of New Albany.

TIE SWATFEST.

All-Stars and High School Regulars Went 11 Innings to a Standstill.

The celebrated All-Stars and the High school Regulars played a 11 inning tie game on the East Side grounds Monday afternoon, and the 300 fans present allege it was the best and most interesting contest pulled off in the City of Promise this season. The score was 4-4. The game was called while the high school was at bat in the first half of the eleventh.

An argumentation caused suspension of hostilities. The high school got two men resting on the pillows with one out. An infield fly hit was made and the batter declared out. An attempt was made to stretch it into a double play, but a wild throw to first made all hands safe with a man on third and second, and two out. A fuss started, and ended in the calling of the game a tie, with the understanding that another and deciding game would be played during the latter part of the week.

It was an interesting game, as stated before. Frisbie was on the gum for the All-Stars and the opposing batsmen were retired in rapid order. One man happened to get over the plate on an error, after which the All-Stars piled up four tallies, and thus the game went for a number of innings. Moscrip went in to relieve Frisbie and he toyed with the school boys, who through a couple of hits and a number of errors tied the score.

The All-Stars made a desperate effort to break the tie and while any number of men reached bases, "Kid" Smith who was pitching for the high school held them safe, the batters flying out. It was a clean, snappy contest and had it not been for a number of glaring errors, it would have been a first class exhibition.

Following were the lineups: All-Stars—Turner, c; Frisbie and Moscrip, p; Tracy and Baker 1b; Baker and Jackson, 2b; Jackson and Tracy, ss; Rockwell, 3b; Frisbie and D. Turner, lf; Seigel, cf; Evans, rf. High school Regulars — McCracken, c; Smith, p; Russell, 1b; D. Smith, 2b; Ingham, ss; Osborne, lf; McMahon, cf; Blake, rf. Umpire—E. Ashmun Parsons.

Distressing Accident at Pittston.

A peculiarly distressing accident happened at Pittston about 9 o'clock Sunday night in which Mrs. John Moleski of Union street, Upper Pittston, lost her life. Mr. and Mrs. Moleski and their child had been visiting friends in West Pittston during the day. They started for home after dark and decided to take a short cut home by walking across the D., L. and W. bridge, which spans the river between West Pittston and the Pittston Junction. When about in the middle of the bridge a train entered one end. They endeavored to get out of its way and in a hurry Mrs. Moleski lost her footing and fell from the bridge and was drowned. The bridge is about 30 feet above the water. Mr. Moleski and the boy clung to the side of the bridge and escaped injury and as soon as the train had passed they made their way across the river and gave the alarm and rescue parties were organized to search for the body which has not yet been found.

Drowning at Lake Carey.

John Rose, who was employed on a farm near Oxbow Pond, in Lemon, was drowned by the capsizing of a boat on Lake Carey on Friday. Rose and another young man by the name of Clarence Dadey had crossed the lake in a boat from the East side and on their return trip indulged in some hilarious antics, which resulted in both landing in the water. Frank Cooper and Jacob Sands, who saw the accident from the shore, succeeded in launching another boat and hurried to their assistance. They were able to rescue Dadey, but Rose went down and was drowned. The body was soon recovered and Dr. W. M. Cress, the coroner, was summoned from Tunkhannock and held an inquest. Rose was about 26 years old and his relatives resides near Kaiserville.

News of the Register's Office.

Will of J. C. Rockwell, late of West Burlington township, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Henrietta Rockwell. Will of William J. Davis, late of Pike township, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Fred and Philip Davis. Will of Mindwell Clark, late of Alba borough, deceased, admitted to probate.

Entertainment at West Franklin.

There will be an entertainment at the M. E. church at West Franklin on Friday evening, May 22. Everybody come and see "The Bull Pup and the Baby, and enjoy a good laugh. Admission 15 cents; children under 12 years ten cents; proceeds for the benefit of the M. E. church. If stormy come Saturday night.

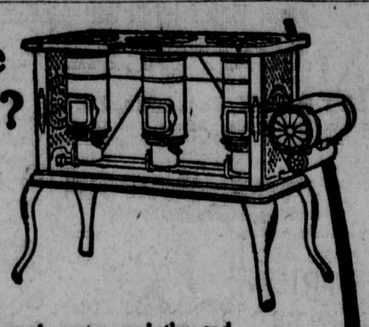
Towanda Stores Will Close.

Towanda merchants have agreed to close their stores on Saturday, Memorial day, at 1 o'clock. To accommodate the people living in the country and wishing to do their week end trading, the stores will open again at 4:30 in the afternoon and remain open during the evening.

Laquin Ball Team Organizes.

The Laquin ball team has been organized for the season and after this week will be ready to take on any team in Northern Pennsylvania. Six of the men who played on last year's fast team will ba in the lineup and five new players all said to be very fast will try for the other positions.

What Stove for Summer?



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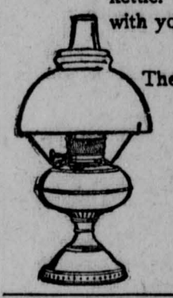
actually keeps the kitchen cool—actually makes it comfortable for you while doing the family cooking, because, unlike the coal range, its heat is directed to one point *only*—right under the kettle. Made in three sizes, fully warranted. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.



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TAKING IMPORTANT PART.

Congressman Kipp in the Limelight on Currency Bill.

Congressman George W. Kipp is playing an important part in the debate and consideration of the much mooted Vreeland currency bill now occupying the attention of both branches of the National legislature.

Last week during the discussion of the bill, a large number of telegrams and letters to Mr. Kipp, from bankers in the Fourteenth congressional district, were read on the floor of the House and will eventually have much to do with the final disposition of the bill. The telegrams and letters, that is the majority of them, urge the killing of the Vreeland currency bill, and they were read in congress that the members of the House might know the sentiment of the people of this the Fourteenth district.

The Vreeland bill has been cut and slashed and amended and referred back, and will probably come up for final action tomorrow, Wednesday.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters in the Towanda postoffice for the week ending May 19, 1908: Brown, Mrs. Minnie; Chilson, Mrs. Sovie; Kuykendall, Miss Lottie; Vanderpool, Mrs. Lizzie; Wanck, Mrs. John; Arnold, C. H.; Allen, Dayton; Brink, Howard; Buttler, Edward; Gaetano, Cascioli; Vinson, Harry. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office June 2, 1908, unless delivered before. In calling for the same please say "Advertised," giving date of list. D. M. Turner, P. M.

Case Again Continued.

For the third time since the indictment was returned by a grand jury, the case of W. W. Scranton, president of the Scranton Gas and Water company, charged with contempt of court, has been marked continued. The case will now go back to the Fall term of criminal court, by which time Mr. Scranton will have returned from abroad. Mr. Scranton is charged with issuing a criticism through the papers of the city of Judge E. C. Newcomb, following the handing down of two opinions by that judge in two cases in which the water company was interested.

Will Locate in Towanda.

W. C. Park, for the past 12 years general superintendent of the Goodyears railroad and lumber systems, with headquarters at Dubois, Pa., has resigned his position. He has leased the Kuykendall residence on York avenue, and with his family will take up their residence in Towanda, expecting to move here this week.

Representatives Wanted
In BRADFORD COUNTY, for NORCROSS BUTTER MAKER.
Fine Granulated Butter made from Fresh or Sour Milk or Cream in 5 minutes by AERATION—a new process for separating butter fat from milk by air. Write at once for full particulars.
Davis Redpath Co.,
Metropolitan Building,
1 Madison Ave., New York.

Treasurer's Sale of Unseated Lands.

In pursuance of the several Acts of Assembly having reference to the assessment of taxes upon unseated lands in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the sale of the same for the non-payment thereof, the undersigned, Treasurer of Bradford County, will expose to public sale at the Treasurer's Office in the Borough of Towanda, on the second Monday of June next, being

JUNE 8, 1908.

at 1 o'clock p. m., the several tracts under the following names, warrantee or owners, unless prior payment of taxes and interest at 6 per cent. interest thereon be made. Interest will be collected from January 1, 1907, on 1906 taxes; and from January 1, 1908 on 1907 taxes. Also 50 cents will be collected on each tract for advertising:

No. Acre.	Warrantees. Names.	Amount of Taxes. Year. 1906.	1907.
	BARCLAY TOWNSHIP.		
234½	Adlum, John		$ 37 63
202	Biddle, Mark J.		18 99
25	Biddle William		2 35
150	Biddle, James		20 70
433	Barrow, John, Jr.		46 72
96	Cunningham, D H. (1-10 interest)		45
244	Erwin, Richard		39 53
23	Groff, John		2 17
20	Hiltzheimer, Thomas		2 82
157	Hiltzheimer, Jacob		14 76
40	Hiltzheimer, Robert		3 76
238	Ladley, Andrew, (1-10 interest)		2 23
100	Ladley, Andrew, (1-10 interest)		2 35
30	Ladley, Joseph, (1-10 interest)		28
330	Ladley, Joseph, (1-10 interest)		3 10
434	Ladley, Peter, (1-10 interest)		4 09
160	Reed, Collinson		25 38
211	Shoemaker, James		19 83
212	Stewart, Walter, (1-10 interest)		1 99
56	Tyhout, Andrew		4 97
	LeROY TOWNSHIP.		
100	Adlum, John		9 00
227	Biddle, M. J.		10 65
432	Biddle, W. M.		62 21
440	Barron, John, Sr.		19 80
150	Boynton, Peter		6 75
91	Biddle, Clemnt		4 92
403	Boyd, John		18 14
348	Grayden, Andrew		15 67
290	Gratz, Hiram		14 85
333	Gratz, Bernard		14 98
230	Gratz, Simeon		10 35
444	Henry, Joseph		44 96
410	Haines, Josiah		44 28
486	Pennington, Benjamin		21 87
341	Patton, John		15 39
227	Reed, Collinson		10 27
35	Reed, Collinson		6 31
452	Shoemaker, James		20 35
257	Simons, James		11 61
47	Simons, James		6 75
174	Beck Henry		17 62
160	Graff, John		16 20
380	Dundass, Thomas		38 48
291	Biddle, James		20 44
	MONROE TOWNSHIP.		04
17	Cunningham, D. H., (1-10 interest)		1 24
55	Moore, John		32
144	Stewart, Walter, (1-10 interest)	$ 1 10	1 01
45	Woodruff, Hannah		
	OVERTON TOWNSHIP.		12 58
370	Betz, John		131 24
368	Betz, James		3 54
104	Cooley, Henry		6 80
200	Castator, George		31 70
273	Erwin, Richard	38	
10	Ellis, Marcy		12 04
354	Fritz, Samuel		8 78
258	Fritz, John		29 71
437	Hardy, Samuel		14 86
437	Hardy, James		38 35
282	Hiltzheimer, Jacob		13 60
400	Hampton, Jonathan		34
100	Ladley, Andrew, (1-10 interest)	$1 14	1 02
30	Moore, John		27 20
400	Seeley, Henry		13 60
400	Seeley, Peter		25 98
382	Seeley, Josiah		1 02
30	Tyhout, Andrew		86
25	Tyhout, Andrew	$ 2 66	1 70
50	Woodruff, Hannah	17 63	15 78
264	Haines, John F., (owner)	33 44	12 78
376	Haines, John F., ((owner)		

Treasurer's Office, Towanda, Pa., April 9, 1908. W. E. MACKEY, County Treasurer.

Since the old Jersey "bos" came fresh there has been living in the writer's home. Before that for a couple of months it was just existing.

A plentiful sowing of beets or mangel wurtzels this spring will furnish a nourishing and succulent ration for the milk cows next fall and winter and one that they will greatly enjoy.

A slow rain of from one-half to three-quarters of an inch, which soaks into the ground as it falls, does more real good than the three inches which comes down in buckets full in the average thunderstorm.

The thing that makes the bur oak a hard tree to transplant is also responsible for its standing more drought than many other varieties of trees—a taproot which goes down deep until it strikes a stratum of permanent moisture.

The broad gauge, patriotic citizen if he does not have a heavy load aboard will drive his team in the center of the newly graded road. It is very natural to leave this preliminary travel on a new road for the next fellow who comes along.

The blue grass pasture furnishes an almost ideal and properly balanced ration for stock. This is indicated not only by the relish with which they eat the grass, but the good it does them in the matter of growth or in milk or meat production.

It is questionable whether it pays to try to veal a calf that can only be fed a skimmilk ration during the first three or four weeks. After this time the butter fat in the whole milk ration may be in part substituted by shelled corn and boiled flaxseed meal.

Unlike most other members of the clover family, alsike does well on wet soil. It should be sowed in late summer or early fall when the ground can be worked to the best advantage and when a maximum work shall have been done in the matter of killing weed seed in the soil.

Good feed, kind treatment and a reliably made cream separator are pretty sure to mean success with the dairy. Of course it is taken for granted in this statement that the members of the dairy herd have been tested and that only those that are paying their board bill are on hand.

It is due to the children in the home, but particularly to the good wife, whose view of the outdoor world is so often circumscribed by it, that the front yard should be utilized for something beside a chicken ranch or a hog lot. Hogs are all right in their place, but that is out back of the barn.

Some one has said that the forests of the country are one of nature's savings banks. Accepting this statement as substantially correct, it is fair to state that a whole lot of bank wrecking is going on in the suicidal and short-sighted forest policy which is being followed by the commercial interests of the country.

In the mammoth wheatfields of the Pacific coast states harvesting operations are done on a scale to correspond. A machine called the header and hauled by from twenty to sixty head of horses or an immense gasoline traction engine and cutting a swath fourteen feet in width heads, thrashes, cleans and sacks the grain in one process.

Very few enemies of the rose bed will be able to do it harm if it is given a thorough spraying every morning with the garden hose with the water under good pressure. Sprayed as often as this, the lice, slugs and other pests are not given time enough to prosecute their work, being unceremoniously knocked off by the force of the water.

It is estimated that the dairymen of the state of Iowa alone lose annually $30,000,000 as a result of keeping unprofitable cows in their dairy herds and through not giving the cream that is produced the care which will produce the highest grade of butter.

Up to 1873 not more than $25,000 was invested in orange groves in California. As a result of the introduction of the navel orange in that year the industry has developed until today there is invested in the culture of this same navel orange $100,000,000 in California alone.

It is generally agreed that while the dairy type of steer will never make as good quality of beef as the strictly beef type, he will make more rapid gains than will the other, this because he comes from a type of cows whose digestive and assimilative powers are abnormally developed.

A lady friend who has tried it states that horseradish can be ground very nicely in the ordinary meat grinder. The roots are washed and scraped as much as is desirable and then put through the mill, the job being just as well done and attended with many less tears than in the old way.

Inasmuch as dirt is the common name for microbes and bacteria, the less dust and dirt there are at milking time the freer from germs of various kinds will the milk be. The most careful dairymen not only see that the back and sides are brushed carefully before milking, but that the udder and teats of the cow as well as the hands of the operator are carefully washed. These precautions simply mean clean milk and make possible a first class butter product.

While a good many fakes and swindles are worked upon folks who are entirely unoffending and not to blame, the vast majority are made possible because of the eagerness on the part of the victim to get something for nothing, or at least a good deal more than he has reason to expect as a return from a legitimate transaction. Where folks get taken in in this way they are entitled to no sympathy, as they merely get a dose of their own medicine in a slightly different form.

While social standing and the possession of money may be factors in determining the amount of happiness that a young married couple will have as they go through life, it after all depends more largely upon themselves how much of happiness or misery will be theirs. They can make their life the one or the other largely as they choose.

The fellows who went into the egg deal extensively last summer and fall, buying eggs at a good stiff price, and whose corner this spring was knocked to smash by old Biddy with the fresh product before they had boosted the price to the desired level have learned somewhat of conservatism and are not bidding so fiercely on this year's stock of eggs. The financial flurry, too, may have had some part in preventing the speculators from realizing on their expectations.

Lemons, oranges and grape fruit (when obtained ripe) are not only delicious and greatly relished by the average person, but they are also most wholesome food products, their mild acids being a much needed tonic and cleanser of the system. Thousands of dollars have been spent by California fruit growers this spring in a general advertising of the merits of these fruits along the lines mentioned, and undoubtedly the sales have been greatly increased as a result.

As showing the ruthless and almost complete destruction of the white pine forests of northern Michigan and Wisconsin a Michigan editor recently told a representative of the American Forestry association that he had ridden in a canoe on the Au Sable river right through the heart of what was the white pine region, and not until the end of the second day was an expert on forest trees able to point out at a long distance a single white pine—the first they had encountered during the entire trip.

There seems to be something in the feminine mind that is constitutionally opposed to doing some kinds of work in an easy way. To illustrate, there's many a hardworking mother who still adheres to the laborious old chopping bowl for the preparation of her hash timber and mince meats when a good meat grinder would do it in half the time and with half the effort. There are other good souls who will patiently drudge away on patchwork by hand and view as absolute domestic sacrilege the calling of a sewing machine into service for the doing of the same work.

While the average run of cows may give a maximum yield of milk at seven or eight years of age, there are frequently exceptions. A Jersey cow belonging to the writer that is thirteen years old this spring is giving more milk by a third than in any previous period of lactation. While conditions might be responsible in part, this would hardly seem sufficient to account for all the difference noted. Undoubtedly a large factor is that this spring there was an interval of nine weeks between milking periods, while in previous years there has seldom been more than four or five.

The other day on a drive into the country we noted a hawk, the large sized common kind, with wings outspread and almost motionless and stationary, scanning the meadow beneath him in search of food. While the object of the bird's keen vision was not in sight, he had likely spotted a gopher or mouse and was merely waiting for a good chance to pounce upon it from his position of vantage. Rather than being considered an enemy of the farmer, these hawks, together with many varieties of owls, should be more and more viewed as real friends of the farmer, orchardist and gardener.

It is not surprising that residents of the Mississippi valley states and those on the Atlantic seaboard, mindful of the meteorological tantrums of the weather clerk, which have resulted in the formation of ice half an inch thick nights when apple, peach, cherry and plum blossoms were in full bloom, sort o' longs to hike out to the Pacific coast, where a fellow can doff one suit of underclothing at night with a fair degree of assurance that he will not need two or three thicknesses of underflannels the next morning. The variety of weather above referred to is fine, but it is rather hard on a fellow's physical constitution and pretty tough on the fruit and garden truck.

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE EAST.

In a conversation which the writer had recently with a former resident of the state of New York, but who is at present in the employ of the United States government, the latter expressed it as his very decided opinion that with real estate property selling at present prices in the eastern states there was vastly better opportunity there for the home seeker who was willing to take up the fruit and dairy business or farming on a small scale than in any other part of the country. In reply to the question if it were not possible to make good money on the farms referred to he cited the case of the old home farm of thirty-seven acres in New York state, eighteen acres of which were some twenty-five years ago set to orchard. During the last ten years this tract of ground has given a return equal to 10 per cent on a valuation of $1,000 per acre. So much confidence has this gentleman in the possibilities to be found in eastern states that he but a few weeks ago turned down a flattering offer of a professorship in a leading agricultural college of the country to go back home and buy more land adjoining the home farm for the purpose of putting out more apple trees. Of course it goes without saying that many portions of the section of the country referred to are not suited to orchard growing, but there would seem to be opportunity for going into poultry or dairying as a substitute, and, while the returns would hardly be as large as in the case referred to, it is fair to assume that there would be a safe margin of profit.

DEEP PLANTING OF CORN.

Where the corn land is loose and mellow and the planter wheels sink to a considerable depth it is a very easy matter to get the seed corn in deeper than is really intended. When the weather is dry and this looseness of soil continues until the seed has germinated and has come out of the ground its being put in deep does not matter much, but if heavy rains come on, the planter tracks fill up and the earth packs down before the corn comes through the ground a pretty serious condition exists and one that is quite likely to materially reduce the stand. Because of the possibility that such conditions may ensue it is well to see to it that the corn is planted so that it will not be more than three inches deep after the field has been given a thorough dragging and the planter tracks have been leveled up.

A REASON FOR FANCY PRICES.

It is well for the eastern fruit grower to keep in mind that, while the Hood river valley apples fetch about twice or three times the price of the best New York fruit, the grower gives the orchard in which these apples are grown a care and attention that is nearly commensurate with the price. His orchard is often less than ten acres and seldom more than twenty, and this tract of land he gives almost continuous cultivation and spraying. At picking time the fruit is all "hand picked" in the exact meaning of the term, and each individual apple is wrapped as carefully as are the lemons and oranges of California. The exercise of every possible precaution, coupled with the marketing of only the most perfect fruit, insures a top notch price which gives a generous reward for the season's work.

F. E. Trigg

KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

Oliver Kemp Carrying Explosive, Received Fatal Injuries.

Oliver Kemp, a farmer living at Eleven Mile, in Potter county, was killed last Thursday afternoon by a premature explosion of a basket of dynamite.

Kemp left his farmhouse early in the afternoon to go to the far end of his farm to blow out stumps of trees. He carried the dynamite in a basket. A moment later there was a terrific explosion.

Workmen hurried from a nearby field and found Kemp sitting on the ground, still conscious. Both hands had been blown off. A jacknife had been driven through his right lung. Both eyes had been blown out. He asked the men to carry him to his home.

Dr. Jacobs was called and did all he could to relieve the man's sufferings. Death came a short time later. He leaves a wife and several children.

Democratic State Convention.

A news dispatch from Harrisburg says: "The headquarters of the various leagues which are booming candidates for President will be opened here tomorrow in advance of the State Democratic convention on Wednesday. Indications point to a large crowd. The Johnson League will have a suit of rooms at the Bolton; the Gray League at the Commonwealth, and the Bryan League at the same hotel. Many prominent men will be in Harrisburg. The convention will nominate four delegates-at-large and a candidate for superior court judge."

Funeral of Mrs. Hoffman.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jennie Hoffman was held at the family home on South Main street, Saturday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. O. A. Houghton officiated, and paid a beautiful tribute to the deceased. The pallbearers were J. E. Meredith, J. H. Baker, F. M. Huggins, C. Hess, J. Vargason, and J. Chamberlin; interment was made in Riverside Cemetery.

CODDING.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCelland were transacting business at Towanda on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Forrest and daughter, Lelia, visited their sister, Mrs. Martha Hiney, at Ulster on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Struble of Columbia Cross Roads, and Mr. and Mrs. George Bostwick and daughter, Mary, of Hoblet, spent Sunday at Jay Wakeley's.

Miss Helen Fletcher was a guest at Helen Kendall's Sunday.

House and Farm Leases at this office.

MEETING OF EDUCATORS.

Report of the May Session of the Educational Association Held in Rome.

The May meeting of the Bradford County Educational association was opened Friday evening, May 8, at the Presbyterian church, Rome.

The address of the evening was delivered by Rev. F. J. Niles, on the subject, "System in Education." Superintendent H. S. Putnam made some remarks. A vocal solo by Mrs. F. J. Niles was much enjoyed.

Saturday, 10 A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the president, H. S. Putnam, and devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. F. J. Niles. The first topic for discussion was "The Teacher's Language," which was opened by Miss Jennie Moore. She said the supreme test of a teacher's ability is the power of expression. It is the medium by which knowledge is acquired and imparted, and it is the teacher's duty both to himself and to his pupils to express himself in a clear, concise and correct term. Teachers should beware of provincialisms and slang expressions. One's vocabulary is broadened and improved by listening to the expressions of others and by reading. The teacher should be a generous reader of good books. The teacher is the example and he should be all and more than all that he desires his pupils to become.

The topic was thoroughly discussed, the following facts being noted: 1. Teacher's should have a habit of speaking correctly. 2. First impressions are most lasting, therefore care should be taken in presenting a new subject, that all terms are correctly used and pronounced. 3. Teachers should throw off the wrap of formality and freely discuss subjects of professional interest and mutually help one another by kindly calling attention to the slight errors which are so apt to be made even by the most learned. 4. It is very helpful to write out one's thoughts upon any subject.

A project for requiring candidates for teachers' certifictaes, to write an essay prior to taking the examination in English grammar was next discussed. Many of the teachers believe this would be wise, in view of the fact that the use of the mother tongue is of much more consequence than a knowledge of technical grammar.

The next topic for discussion was "Certification, Tenure and Promotion of Teachers," opened by Superintendent Putnam. The question, "Should we require three years' experience before granting a professional certificate?" was asked, and most of the teachers present were of the opinion that two years would be better.

"Shall a regulation be made requiring that at least four weeks must intervene between the failure of a candidate and his appearance at another examination?" was next considered.

It was the opinion that this would be a wise rule, but that it should be a little plastic and the nature of the failure, the time of the examination, etc., should be considered before it were enforced.

The idea of a double standard for certification came next. This seemed a wise plan and more just than the one previously used, both to the candidate and to the examiner. It was decided that the minimum percent should not be allowed in English and arithmetic. Everyone present voted in favor of two days for the examination.

A paper on "Why spelling contests should be revived," written by Miss Kate Noble of Towanda, was read by the secretary. Spelling contests are good, they help spelling, pronounciation and enunciation and stimulate healthy and honest kind of rivalry. Oral spelling should not take the place of written but should supplement it.

Mr. Putnam means to have spelling contests in all the schools of the county next year.

"The use of the magic lantern in teaching," was presented by Principal C. P. Lewis of Orwell. He said that a magic lantern is a good aid in most subjects, especially in history, geography and elementary science.

A motion was made and carried empowering the executive committee of the association to investigate the matter and if it deems advisible to purchase a magic lantern which shall be used for the educational advantage of the county.

It was announced that some arrangements were being made for attending the meeting of the National Educational association which is to be held in Cleveland this Summer, and it is hoped that Bradford county may be well represented at this meeting.

A paper on "Maps and map drawing" was read by Miss Emma McCabe. Maps, both physical and political, should be used. Pupils should draw maps.

A visit to the rooms of the Bradford County Historical society was suggested by Miss Florence Tyrrell, as a means for awakening interest in local history. A motion requesting the Bradford County Historical society to prepare a small text boox or pamphlet on local history, which may be purchased by the teachers and used as a basis and guide in the presentation of this subject, was made and carried.

The minutes of the February meeting were read and approved. A financial report was made and the bills of the association were ordered paid.

The names of members who are in arrears for dues for 1906-07 were read and the association voted their suspension.

A vote of thanks was tendered the people of Rome, the trustees of the Presbyterian church, and everyone who aided in making the meeting a success. Adjournment.

Orie E. Croop, secretary.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.

Sayre Boro.—April 30, 1908. Edson A. Rockwell and wife to Daniel G. Lerg; lot, $2,150.

Wyalusing Twp.—April 28, 1908. Eliza Mitten Carman and Jesse I. Carman to Jesse I. Carman; lots, $100.

Towanda Boro.—April 4, 1908. Towanda Knitting Co., to U. M. Fell; lot, $1,005.

Sayre Boro.—April 8, 1908. Theron H. Sellick and wife to Edward L. Haight; lot, $300.

Athens Boro.—Dec. 26, 1907. W. A. Campbell to Anna E. Moore; lot, $350.

Athens Boro.—Feb. 15, 1908. O. L. Haverly and others to Catherine M. Cooper; lot, $125.

Litchfield Twp.—March 28, 1908. Anna Maynard and others to J. H. Bidlack; 5 0acres, $1,000.

Sayre Boro.—May 1, 1908. A. B. and Edith B. Crayton to Laura E. Secor; lot, $1,012.50.

Athens Twp.—May 1, 1908. C. J. Kitchen and wife to Capt. T. Mills; 27 63-100 acres, $124.

Terry Twp.—May 2, 1908. John W. Mix to G. E. Williams; 53 acres, $1,225.

Granville Twp.—April 14, 1908. Estate Henry Tinklepaugh to Eugene M. Tinklepaugh; 2 acres, $625.

Towanda Twp.—March 10, 1908. Edith B. Rosenfield and others to Hannah Maynard; lots, $1,400.

Albany Twp.—April 29, 1908. Hannah and Sylvester E. Maynard to sgie V. Kram to Sylvester E. Maynard; 25 acres, $1.

Towanda Boro.—May 2, 1908. E. L. Smith and others to Keystone Opera House Co.; lot, $1.

Sheshequin Twp.—April 15, 1869. William L. Mace and others to Elias Douglass; lot, $500.

Sheshequin Twp.—May 4, 1908. Catharine Douglass to Clara E. Gooding; lot, $750.

Springfield Twp.—Feb. 10, 1908. Hugh J. Fanning and wife to Finley N. Hubbard; lots, $1,650.

Springfield Twp.—Feb. 29, 1908. Finley N. Hubbard to Ernest A. Reeser; 35 acres, $1,000.

Wilmot Twp.—April 23, 1908. Maynard L. Stalford and others to Eva May Barnhart; 114 acres, 135 perches, $550.

Wilmot Twp.—April 15, 1907. John Barnhart and wife to Mrs. Esther J. Bailey; 26 acres, $300.

Wilmot Twp.—May 4, 1908. E. A. Strong and wife to Esther J. Bailey; 42 acres, $275.

Standing Stone Twp.—April 6, 1908. Sarah C. and F. C. Landmesser to Frank B. Hunt; 1½ acres, $125.

Standing Stone Twp.—April 10, 1908. Jessie M. Clagett and others to Frank B. Hunt; 40 acres, $900.

Wells Twp.—Feb. 27, 1908. Eugene Carpenter and wife to Delos Eaton; 50 acres, $1.

Tuscarora Twp.—March 9, 1908. R. M. Woodruff and wife to A. B. Culver; 5 acres, $105.

Troy Twp.—Nov. 16, 1908. Albert T. Park and wife to George W. Warner; 4 acres, $700.

Troy Boro.—Feb. 1, 1908. John W. Phillips and wife to Louise M. Dennison; lot, $2,000.

SAYLES.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Simpson visited their daughter, Mrs. Reed Parkhurst, of Kelly Hill, Sunday.

John Schrader, Joe Brown and Lon Eddy of Powell, spent Sunday at Burt Schrader's.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Woodin of Towanda, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodin, Sunday.

Olen Smiley and Mrs. Lena Parmalee of Binghamton, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Churchill of LeRoy, visited her sister, Mrs. Joseph Woodin, Thursday.

George Holford, an aged veteran, lost his pocketbook containing $105, last Saturday coming from Troy. Mrs. John Fenton of Bailey Corners, found it and returned it to him.

WEST FRANKLIN.

Miss Mabel Wilcox spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Blanche Streeter has returned home, after spending several weeks with friends in Canton.

L. O. Burroughs and H. B. Burroughs were in Towanda Monday.

There will be an entertainment at the Methodist church, Friday evening, May 22.

Roy Crayton was pleasantly surprised last Friday evening by a number of young people from this place. Every one semed to have an enjoyable time.

The Markets.

The market reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week.

Towanda Provision Market.

Butter, fresh	20c
Eggs	15c

General Markets.

New York, May 19.

BUTTER—Creamery, specials, 22c.; extras, 21½c.; firsts, 20½a21c.; seconds, 18a20c.; thirds, 16a17c.; state dairy, tubs, fresh, finest, 21c.; good to choice, 19a20c.; common to fair, 16a18c.; process, specials, 20½c.; extras, 20c.; firsts, 18a19c.; seconds, 16a17c.; thirds, 13a15c.

CHEESE — Full cream, old, specials, 15c.; state, full cream, old, small, white, fancy, 14¾c.; old, large and small, colored, fancy, 14½c.; old, fair to prime, 11½a13c.; common, 8a9½c.; full cream, new, 9¾a10¾c.; skims, 1½ pound specials, 8¾c.; skims, fine, 6½a7½c.; fair to good, 3½a5½c.; common, 2a3c.; full skims, 1a1½c.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected white, fancy, 20½a21c.; good to choice, 19½a20c.; brown and mixed, extras, 19½a20c.; firsts to extra firsts, 18a19c.; fresh gathered, storage packed, firsts to extra firsts, 17½a18½c.; regular packed, extra firsts, 18a18½c.; firsts, 17a17½c.; seconds, 16a16½c.; thirds, 15a15½c.; dirties, 13½a15½c.; checks, 8a14c.

POTTERVILLE.

Born, recently, to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Crow, a daughter.

James Brink and wife have moved in with E. Werkheiser.

James Foster, wife and daughter Edith have gone to Troy to attend the funeral of a relative.

Harry Chaffee and family, who have been residents of Wilkes-Barre for several years, have returned to this place and are occupying the Dunn residence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lyon visited relatives at Windham last week.

C. L. Wheaton and wife were visitors at LeRaysville Saturday.

Mrs. Wheaton of South Warren, was a visitor at I. Manchester's last week.

E. M. Angle and wife are visiting relatives in Scranton.

TYRRELL.

Mrs. Bruce Wilbur was called to Windham Centre on Saturday by the serious illness of her father.

Harry Brown is assisting Frank Strope in moving his barn.

A few of the young people from this place attended the drama, "Diamonds and Hearts," Saturday evening at Nichols.

Stanley Green and wife of Orwell, were at Walter Nelson's on Sunday.

C. V. Prince is much improved in health; he was out for a drive Sunday.

SOUTH TOWANDA.

Mrs. Fred King and son have returned from a visit at Picture Rocks.

Mrs. S. E. Smith is visiting at Sayre.

The receipts from the social last Friday evening were $9.45.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of Evergreen spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall.

Miss Belle Carl of Towanda, spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Mary Smith.

GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Lyman Grennell and Leland May went Sunday morning to Altoona on business, and from there Mr. Grennell went to Philadelphia to attend a meeting of Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Several of the Odd Fellows went to Canton Tuesday to attend the funeral of Brother E. Jennings.

Bernard Lilley has gone to Elmira to spend some time with his aunt, Mrs. Phinney.

All the news while it is news.

Its Always Time

To brush up in one way if not another.

Hair Brushes 25c to $2.50.

Bath Brushes 60c to $1.50.

Flesh Brushes 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c.

Clothes Brushes 30c, 50c and 60c.

Shaving Brushes 10c to $1.25.

Tooth Brushes 10c to 35c.

TURNER'S DRUG STORE

Present Proprietorship Since 1872.

Both 'Phones. Towanda, Pa.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenton Kerrick of Durell, visited at P. V. Frisbie's Sunday.

Misses May Valentine and Emily VanNess are visiting Mrs. Hendershot in Asylum.

Oscar Dull was called to see his mother in Wyoming county; she fell from a wagon and was badly hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley of Towanda, visited their daughter, Mrs. Frank Marshall, over Sunday.

Mrs. Patrick Costello visited in town on Friday.

ELWELL.

Born, Wednesday, May 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Steele, a son, named Kenneth Albert.

Floyd Girven moved on to his farm, purchased of O. B. Griffis, last week.

Mrs. Daisy Conant of Michigan, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Girven Tuesday of last week. She returned on Wednesday, accompanied by her three children.

The Daily Review—25c a month.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Keeler & Co., composed of E. S. Keeler and J. K. Newell of New Albany, Pa., has been dissolved by the death of E. S. Keeler.

All persons indebted to the firm are hereby requested to make immediate payment to Mrs. A. L. Fawcett of New Albany, Pa., who has been authorized to receive and receipt for the same.

J. K. NEWELL,
may12-3t Surviving Partner.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Levi Thompson, deceased, late of Overton Township, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MICHAEL BYRON,
JAMES SWEENEY,
Executors.
May 11, 1908.—6t

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Elisha S. Keeler, deceased, late of New Albany Borough, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

U. M. FELL,
Administrator.
May 12, 1908.—6t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Aber, deceased, late of the Township of Ridgebury, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E. M. TUTON, Executor.
April 20, 1908.—6t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Aaron L. Vough, deceased, late of the Township of Orwell, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

HAMPTON CHAMPLIN, Executor.
Orwell, April 9, 1908.—6t

Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Lates

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Girl's French Dress Designed by May Manton—No. 5850.

The French dress is always becoming to the younger girls and is so pretty that it is a general favorite. This one can be made adapted to party and dancing school wear or to everyday use, as one material or another is chosen. The frock is a dressy one, made with short sleeves, and the material is fine white lawn, with trimming of embroidery, but in the back view it is shown made from bright red velling with frills of ribbon. For the more dressy frocks white is always charming for the younger children, but for the slightly older girls cashmere or velling in such colors as pale blue and pink is much to be commended.

The dress is made with the waist and the skirt. The waist is full and is arranged over a fitted body lining, which is faced to form the yoke, and the pretty bertha conceals the upper edge of the full portion. Both the long and the short sleeves are gathered into bands. The skirt is simply straight and is finished with two ruffles, above which is a group of tiny tucks.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (six years) is 4 yards 27, 3¾ yards 32 or 2½ yards 44 inches wide, with 9¼ yards of ribbon for the frills, three-eighths of a yard 18 inches wide for the yoke, 1¾ yards of narrow and 2 yards of wide banding.

Sizes for girls of 4, 6 and 8 years.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING.

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 5850, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

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TOWANDA, PA.

Enclosed find ..... cents for which send me Pattern as follows:

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Name .....

Address .....

OLD PASSENGER RATE

Will Be Resumed by the Williamsport & North Branch.

WILL BUCK 2C A MILE LAW

Bill in Equity Filed Against Lycoming County—Company Relies On Decision of Supreme Court in Pennsylvania Case.

The Williamsport & North Branch Railroad company, which runs trains over the State Line & Sullivan branch of the Lehigh from Satterfield to Towanda, intends to resume the old passenger rate which was in effect prior to the time the two-cent rate law was passed and enforced. As the first step the company through its attorney has filed a bill in equity to restrain the county of Lycoming from bringing any suits against the company for the recovery of the penalty for charging a higher rate than that established by the act of 1907. This suit is in line with the one brought by the Pennsylvania Railroad company against the county of Philadelphia in which the supreme court decided that the company, under the evidence in the case had the right to charge more than the two-cent rate upon the ground that a two-cent rate did not produce a fair and reasonable return to the stockholders for the money actually invested by them. The Williamsport & North Branch railroad take the same position, that a two-cent rate is confiscatory, and rely upon the decision of the supreme court in the Philadelphia case for a favorable decision in their case.

Lycoming county is required to file an answer to the bill of complaint within 30 days. Of course, under the decision of the court in the Pennsylvania railroad case there is no question as to the company being permitted to return to the old rate of fare, but the proceedings taken are necessary in order to escape liability. This is cited in the document as follows:

"That if your orator should resume the rate of fare established prior to the time when said act of April 5, 1907, went into effect, and which were in the judgment of the plaintiff company's president and directors, reasonable rates for the service thus rendered and should exact from the purchasers of said tickets and passengers traveling on its said road, a rate of fare in excess of the rates of fare for the transportation of passengers by said act prescribed and regulated, the plaintiff company would be subject to the risk of penalties imposed by said act, which are so unreasonable and excessive in their character that the aggregate penalties for every hundred tickets sold at rates in excess of two cents per mile would amount to a hundred thousand dollars, and the said plaintiff company would likewise be subject to a multiplicity of suits by and on behalf of the county of Lycoming, which, according to the terms of said act, would be entitled to recover the same, and to the expense and costs necessarily incident to such multitudinous suits."

SAVED HIM THE TROUBLE.

Lackawanna County Woman Suicided Rather Than Be Murdered.

Fearing that her husband would end their unhappy married life by killing her, as he had repeatedly threatened to do, Mrs. Michael Rinko, 25 years of age, of Jessup, Lackawanna county, committed suicide Wednesday afternoon, throwing herself under a Delaware and Hudson train at 12:25 o'clock, a short distance South of the Jessup station. She was cut in two and died instantly.

The suicide had planned the end earlier in the day. "I will kill myself," she said to her neighbor, Mrs. Horath, at noon. "I will kill myself by falling in front of a train, and save Mike from committing the sin of killing me." A half hour later the mangled body of the woman was strewn along the track for a hundred feet.

The Rinkos were a mismated pair, according to the neighbors. They had quarreled constantly. Rinko worked in the mines and each night after he returned from his work loud talking could be heard in the house and Mrs. Rinko crying. Despondent as a result of this state of affairs, she decided upon sucide as the only means of ending it.

Leaves the Lehigh and Sayre.

E. H. Shipman, assistant chief engineer of the Lehigh Valley, the man under whose direct supervision the shops at Sayre were erected, has tendered his resignation, effective on June 1. Mr. Shipman went to Sayre five years ago as soon as ground was broken for the erection of the shops, and he was on the ground continually until the work of erection was complete. Then he continued to reside in South Wilbur avenue and superintend new work along the line. Mr. Shipman, after June 1 will enter the employ of a company at Mauch Chunk and he leaves the Lehigh in order to secure increased remuneration.

Waverly Lands Factory.

The glove factory established by George F. Jayne and sons in Binghamton and later removed to Berkshire, has been taken to Waverly. Archie Wright and Archie VanNorman have bought the Berkshire business and will continue it.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Movements of Many People Are Tersely Told Here.

Charles D. Passage, Jr., is on a business trip to Chicago.

W. S. Barnes of Wickizer, was in the county seat Saturday.

H. W. Kissell of Asylum, was in the county seat Saturday.

H. J. Whitaker of West Warren, was in Towanda Saturday.

Robert Quigley is home from a sojourn in New York state.

A. P. Weldy of Burlington, had business in Towanda Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen of Sayre, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Congressman Kipp is home from Washington for a few days.

Daniel Sullivan of Rome, was in the City of Promise Saturday.

Mrs. Hugh McCabe has returned from a visit in Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. B. Montgomery of Powell, was shopping in Towanda Saturday.

George E. Riggs and wife of LeRoy, were in Towanda Saturday.

D. W. Coles and N. L. Alles of Orwell, were in Towanda Saturday.

S. L. Russell was among the many Romans in Towanda Saturday.

George M. Gilbert of Franklindale, was in the county seat Saturday.

George and Charles Frutchey of Asylum, were in Towanda Saturday.

John Dunfee of Monroeton, was among the many in Towanda Saturday.

Mrs. George Trim of Towanda, is visiting Mrs. Harry Clendenny in Sayre.

John Hancock Gillis of Sayre, spent a few hours in the City of Promise Saturday.

Dr. T. Benjamin Johnson has returned from a few days' stay in Philadelphia.

Dr. Chaffee returned Saturday evening from a few days' visit at Bucknell university.

James Monroe Ayres, Jr., is home a couple of months' sojourn in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Dixon of Standing Stone, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

O. C. Crummer, Asa Wood, and J. E. Grant of New Albany, were in Towanda Saturday.

Leo Mouillesseaux has returned to Mahanoy City, after a few days' visit in Towanda.

Mrs. C. J. Benjamin of Coudersport, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Irvine.

Ray B. Parks and Edith E. Parks of North Orwell, spent Saturday in the county metropolis.

Mrs. John Dunfee and daughter, Mrs. Edward Mitchell, of Monroeton, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Misses Mary McCarthy and Winifred Reagan of Waverly, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

John J. Kiersted and G. V. Ward of Gillett, were among the many in the county metropolis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knapp and Mrs. Susan Thacker of Burlington, were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Walter Coon of Towanda, has rented a store room in Tunkhannock and will start a moving picture show.

Hon. George Moscrip is spending a few days with his daughter, Miss Fanny Moscrip, in New York city.

Mrs. John Flemming and Mrs. Herbert Barlow have returned from a visit with Mrs. Lannie Marcy in Monroeton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thetga and Laurence Gordon of Standing Stone, were among the many in the county seat Saturday.

E. A. Smith and Charles Osborn and wife of Athens, were among the many who spent Saturday in the county seat.

Will Bacon has returned to his home in Cherry Flats after spending a short time with friends in Towanda and Sayre.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gulick of Scranton, are spending a few days in Towanda, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Turner.

Ralph Mouillesseaux of Mahanoy City, is spending a few days in Towanda assisting in the Mouillesseaux jewelry store.

Edward Mouillesseaux, who recently suffered a slight stroke of paralysis, continues to improve, and is now out of danger.

M. E. Rosenfield has gone to Philadelphia, where he will consult a specialist. He was accompanied by Dr. T. Ben Johnson.

Miss Bessie Ellis has returned to her home in Uhdey after spending the past two weeks with relatives at Sayre and Chemung.

S. L. Colwell, Bly Biddle, R. D. Gray, O. J. Smith and Samuel W. Williams, all well known Canton citizens, were in Towanda on Saturday.

John Scovell, a well known Towanda township citizen, is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ulysses McGill, on Towanda Hill.

Mrs. Clifford Marsh has returned to her home in New Milford, Conn., after spending a few days in Towanda with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett.

Cloth all Wool and Paint all Paint,

Is cheaper than shoddy cloth or shoddy paint. The L. & M. Zinc Metal made into Oxide of Zinc combined with White Lead, and then made into paint with pure Linseed Oil in thousand gallon grindings and mixings. Wears long: actual cost only $1.20 per gallon.

Spalding Hardware Co., Towanda.
Dewey Bros., Gillette.
H. S. Masten, Bentley Creek.

L. & M. Paint Agents.

OWEGO SMOKE SPIEL

Daily Record Pencil Artist Sees Things Pertaining to Towanda.

WANT SHOP TRAIN SERVICE.

Would Have People Believe That Towanda Shop Train is to Be Discontinued and One Established Between Sayre and Owego.

The Owego Daily Record has a smoke spieler, that is a writist who sees things, hears things, and tells things that sound good to the natives within hearing. This "smoke artist" has had the audacity to state in cold, black letters on pure white paper that the Towanda shop train is to be discontinued and one established between Sayre and Owego. Also that all the people now living in Towanda and working in Sayre, desire and will move to Owego.

It is very easy for The Record to make this statement, but if the writist could only spend a week in "the City of Promise" he would see how absurd it is to even think that a person once a resident of this beautiful, lively place would ever want to forsake it for a staid village like Owego, or any other place, for that matter.

Then again, when it is known that the Towanda-Sayre shop train is one of the best paying passenger trains on the Pennsylvania division it is safe to say that the Lehigh is not going to discontinue anything which earns good, big money. The Sayre-Towanda shop train carries more passengers between Towanda and Sayre than any other train scheduled, and it is not even dreamed that it will be discontinued. A shop train may be run from Owego to Sayre, but it will not affect Towanda in the least. The Record story is good to read, if not considered seriously, so here it is:

"Representatives of the Lehigh are in town making arrangements to run a shop train from the Sayre shops to Owego and return night and morning and they are looking for men here also who want work. They state that this shop train will be started next Monday morning if a dozen or so men who want to work in the shops can be found here. The train will leave Owego at about 6:15 in the morning and return at about 6:45 at night.

"W. H. Schroeder, the Lehigh representative who is looking up the matter here, is also looking up the matter of available houses to rent for shop hands. He states that the shop train which has been running for some time between Sayre and Towanda, to accommodate workmen living at the latter place, is to be discontinued and there are numerous workmen now living at Towanda who wish to move to Owego.

"It would appear from this that the Lehigh had decided to "cut" Towanda on account of the bitter opposition to the company which has been shown there in relation to the recent strike of the boiler makers, refusing them board there, etc., and had decided to transfer the benefits Towanda has had in regard to the running of the shop train, thus allowing many workmen to live in Towanda, to Owego.

"The men the agent is looking for here are not "strike-breakers," so it is stated. It is machinists and helpers who are wanted, in view of a large increase of work at the shops in the machine shop and all other departments, which is in immediate prospect. The machine shop and other departments have long been open shops and have no direct concern in the boiler-makers' strike. These machinists who are in demand are all paid by piece work. The helpers are paid from 18 to 20 cents per hour to start with, with promise of increase to 25 cents per hour as soon as they get used to the work.

"In regard to the strike, the Lehigh representatives state that it is practically ended. They say that they now have 200 boiler-makers and helpers at work and that is all they need for the present in that department. They say that numbers of the strikers have applied for work in the past few days and that they have accepted a few of these who had families and owned property there. Most of the others have left town. The new boiler-makers are taking board generally through Sayre and the other places now and are not molested. Of the company of 78 special guards which the Lehigh has had patrolling the property, 38 were discharged Saturday and the others will probably soon be dispensed with. The boiler shop will henceforth be run as an open shop, as the other departments have been run.

"About a year ago some 2,300 men were employed in all departments of the Sayre shops. Because of the business depression and the strike this force was cut down to less than half, but this is now being increased to take care of increased work. It is expected that within a few months the force will be increased to its former number. In the boiler shop about 280 men went out and they now claim to have 200 at work.

"The proposed change of the shop train from Towanda to Owego, the employment of men who are residents of this place and the removal of families from Towanda to this place to occupy vacant houses will certainly be of great benefit to our village, as well as to the smaller villages between this place and Sayre, where workmen will be similarily accommodated by the shop train."

AUTHORITIES UP AGAINST IT.

Taxpayers Parade Streets of Forest City, Susquehanna County..

A public demonstration of protest against the actions of the burgess and borough council was enacted at Forest City, Susquehanna county, the other night, and was participated in by over 300 of the leading citizens of that place. The actions of the several public officers that gained the disfavor of the taxpayers were the expenditure of money collected for the laying of a sewer course, and the remodeling of the borough building.

Prior to the demonstration a meeting of citizens was held in Kurchitz's hall, at which speeches were made loudly condemning the actions of the borough officers. Following the meeting the citizens formed a line, headed by Attorney George W. Maxey, they marched to the home of Burgess S. J. Jennings to give vent to their outraged feelings.

The demonstration was a very quiet one, free from any disorder or violence. As they were unable to see any of the officials, the gathering dispersed.

Work on the improvements to the building was commenced during the past week and a preliminary injunction was immediately sought by the Taxpayers' Protective association .

NEGRO FOREMAN FOR CAPITOL SCANDAL.

Six Defendants All in Court—No Time Will Be Lost.

A negro will be foreman of the jury which will try Congressman H. Burd Cassel, Architect Huston and the four former state officials on charges growing out of the alleged grafting in the furnishing of the new capitol. Samuel Cole, Sr., of Steelton, is the man. Cole was accepted by both sides, after the first six talesmen examined had been peremptorily challenged. Judge Kunkel lost no time in taking up the case yesterday morning. All the six defendants—Cassel, Huston, Snyder, Shumaker, Mathues and Irvine, Snyder's former assistant, were in court.

Every talesman called to the stand was put through a long examination, the attorneys for the defense, particularly, going into details to determine whether the prospective jurors had any feeling toward the defendants. With all the attorneys to be satisfied, it is slow work getting jurors.

Horse Nearly Well.

Says the Elmira Advertiser: "After hanging in a sling for five weeks in the barn of Veterinary Surgeon F. C. Krowl, on East Market street, the valuable six years old horse belonging to Milton Bodine of Wellsburg, will walk home. On the first day of April the horse became scared at an automobile on William street, reared and fell to the pavement, breaking his leg. He was taken to Dr. Krowl's barn where he was strung up with his legs in splints until a week ago when he was taken down and has since been walking around the yard." From the foregoing it will be seen that the day when the breaking of a leg of a horse meant death for the animal is now passed, and that now instead of shooting the injured animal, he is made sound and well again.

Queer Freak of a Dog.

A valuable bull dog owned by a Cornell student performed a queer trick at Ithaca on Saturday. The dog was with his master in a room on the third floor of a block on East State street. He finally climbed upon a wide window sill and set there looking out on the street. Finally he began to walk back and forth on the sill and after crouching several times as for a leap, he finally jumped straight out. He whirled over and over, struck a cloth awning below, which he went through, and landed on the sidewalk unhurt. The question is puzzling the dog fanciers whether this dog attempted suicide, or what did cause him to make such a pump.

Wyalusing Hooks Elect Officers.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year by Audax Hook and Ladder company of Wyalusing: President, William Ellsworth; vice-president, Asa Gaylord; recording secretary, Charles Stalford; financial secretary, John Stack; treasurer, H. A. Bartlett; trustees, A. H. Sinsabaugh, G. C. Bruter, Harry Gaylord; property clerk, C. H. Dodge; representative, Asa Gaylord; fire board representatives, Asa Gaylord, H. P. Stalford; foreman, H. A. Bartlett; first assistant, E. F. Larkin; second assitant, Reed Bosworth.

City Conveniences in the Country.

Frank Allis of Allis Brothers, the well known lumber dealers of Wysox township, has installed spring water service in his handsome home on the road from Wysox to Rome. The water is piped from a spring to the house, a distance of about 50 rods and is pure and clear as a crystal. A fine bath room has also been added and now Mr. Allis and his family have all the city conveniences at their fine country home.

Orphans' Court News.

Estate of Emma Corneby, late of Athens township, deceased, public sale of real estate decreed. Delanson Fenner appointed guardian of the estates of Joseph, Charles and David Johnson, minor children of Eliza Vanderpool, late of Towanda township, deceased. C. J. Sullivan appointed guardian of the estates of Theresa and Leonard O'Brien, minor children of Catherine O'Brien, late of Overton township, deceased.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY

General Orders For the Observance of the Day of Sadness.

COLONEL HOLGATE WILL SPEAK

Annual Memorial Day Exercises Will Be Held in Hale's Opera House—All Veterans and Patriotic Citizens Urged to Assist.

The following Memorial Day orders have been issued by Dr. E. D. Payne, Commander of Watkins Post, No. 68, G. A. R. of Towanda:

1. In pursuance of orders from National and Department headquarters and our annual custom, Saturday, May 30, will be observed by the comrades of this Post as Memorial Day.

2. The Post extends a hearty invitation to the camp of the Sons of Veterans, Patriotic Sons of America, and Spanish American War Veterans, the schools and citizens generally, to assist us, and participate with us in the due observance of this annual Memorial Day. We especially urge the school to participate in these patriotic services.

3. The Post, S. of V. and P. O. S. of A., will attend religious services at the Universalist church on Sunday, May 24, at 10:30 a. m. The comrades of the Post will assemble at the Post room for this purpose at 10 a. m. of that day .

4. Services and exercises will also be conducted in the forenoon of May 30, at Liberty Corners, Horn Brook and Wysox. We request the citizens living at these points to assist the comrades in making the requisite preparation for these Memorial exercises.

5. The services and the address at Towanda, will be in the afternoon.

6. The Memorial address will be delivered by Comrade R. H. Holgate, Esq., of Scranton.

7. In pursuance of action taken by the Post, request is made that baseball and all sports be dispensed with on Memorial day in order that May 30 be observed as Memorial Day, and also that the places of business be closed during the ceremonies in the afternoon.

8. The Comrades of the Grand Army, other veterans, Sons of Veterans, Patriotic Sons of America, Spanish American War Veterans, school children and citizens, will form at the court house, so as to be ready to march to the Riverside cemetery at 1:45 p. m. After the ceremonies at the cemetery, the column will reform and march in reverse order to the opera house.

9. The exercises at the opera house will consist of reading Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, general orders, singing, prayer, and the address by R. H. Holgate, Esq.

10. The committees heretofore appointed are requested to attend to the special duties assigned to them, so that all arrangements will be complete, in order that all the exercises and ceremonies may be carried on promptly and with due regard to the day and the lessons it is intended to teach.

11. The details already made for the purpose, will visit the schools, on the day proceeding May 30, and endeavor by their presence and word to teach the children the importance of patriotism and the significance of this day.

12. The Post will present a flag to each pupil of the schools, who will march in the column on Memorial Day.

13. All are requested to furnish flowers for that day and have same sent to the Post room at 8 a. m. of Saturday, May 30.

14. The Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, are requested to appropriately decorate the Soldiers and Sailors monument in front of the court house for Memorial Day.

15. It is the desire of the Commander and all the comrades of the Post, that the ceremonies and exercises of this day be conducted with a due regard to the duties devolving upon us as survivors of the Civil War, and those present may profit by its teachings, and thus all may share in a greater realization of the good accomplished by the patriots of the past, and inspire us with a determination to be better citizens of this Nation.

By order of
E. D. PAYNE, Commander.
J. ANDREW WILT, Adjutant.

Good Word for Madigan.

"Mike" Madigan of Towanda, now playing with Scranton in the New York State League, was in left field in the game at Utica on Monday which went 11 innings, Utica winning by a score of 4-3. Of Madigan's work the Scranton Tribune says: "Madigan, who played with Montreal last year, was in left field for the Miners. He performed in a crediable manner, getting two hits, one for an extra base, besides accepting three difficult chances."

DELICIOUS BANANA CREAM.

This recipe is highly recommended by one of our correspondents; try it for dessert tomorrow:

Peel five large bananas, rub smooth with five teaspoonfuls of sugar. Add one teacup sweet cream beaten to a stiff froth, then add one 10c package of lemon JELL-O dissolved in 1½ teacups boiling water. Pour into mold and when cold garnish with candied cherries. Serve with whipped cream, or any good pudding sauce. JELL-O is sold by all grocers at 10c per package.

F. B. LYKE RECEIVES VERDICT OF $5,000 AGAINST LEHIGH.

Plaintiff Was Knocked From Car on Which He Was Working in 1905.

Frank B. Lyke of Towanda, Wednesday received a verdice of $5,000 against the Lehigh Valley Railroad company for injuries received in being knocked from a car on which he with several other men were working in December, 1905.

The case grew out of an accident at the Washington street crossing of the Lehigh in Towanda. A large monument was being transferred from a flat car to wagons, and Mr. Lyke with a number of other men were doing the work. While they were thus engaged, an engine run in on the switch, bumped into the flat car, hurling the men in every direction. Three or four of them were knocked down, two being pinioned under parts of the monument. Mr. Lyke was knocked from the car, to the wagon, falling from there to the ground, being badly injured. Three of the other workmen who were injured brought suit against the company for negligence, and all recovered damages.

The Lyke case was called on Monday of this week, and was given to the jury about 4:15 Wednesday afternoon. Less than an hour later the twelve men returned to the court room with a verdict awarding the plaintiff the sum of $5,000.

Mr. Lyke was represented by Attorneys D. C. DeWitt, and Lilley & Wilson, while Henry Streeter and Hon. W. T. Davies represented the railroad company.

SCRANTON MEN IN BIG DEAL.

Form a Company Which Is Capitalized at $20,000,000.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in New Jersey by the International Educational Publishing company, which is capitalized at $20,000,000 and is made up almost exclusively of Scranton men. The incorporators are Thomas J. Foster, W. L. Connell, Thomas E. Jones, Jacob K. Griffiths, and J. F. Jorline.

The purposes of the company, it is said, is to extend the business of the International Textbook company into English-speaking countries at the present time and later into other countries. Much of the $20,000,000 capitalization will be invested in the new companies, while the people in the various countries will also be given an opportunity to invest.

Work for It.

The mail order store has to work for its trade, and to get it absolutely by advertising says an exchange. It would seem that the merchant on the ground, who sees his customer personally, and whose ware can be seen, could make the mail order store look like the bottom of an empty flour sack by pursuing the same methods of warfare the mail order store has found successful. Advertising is what is taking your trade to the mail order store, Mister Merchant if anything is going there. Truly advertising will hold it with you, for you have the long end of the situation. You know that you can sell just as low as the mail order house, hence it has no possible advantage over you. It merely gets its trade by letting people know all the time that is has things to sell.

Christian Science Lecture.

Rev. Arthur R. Vosburg, C. S. B., of Rochester, N. Y., will lecture in Mercur hall, Towanda, on Tuesday evening, May 26, under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Towanda. His subject will be "The Idealism of Jesus." Mr. Vosburg is a member of the official board of lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston. The lecture will be free, and all interested in hearing an authentic talk on Christian Science should attend.

Farming Certainly Pays.

Ernest Miller of Sunderlinville, Tioga county, has demonstrated that there is money in farming even on small farms and that panics don't worry farmers of the energetic class. Mr. Miller has a farm of 78 acres and last year he received $1,359 for hay and retained 12 tons for his own use. His corn was worth $22.50, his oats $324.50, his potatoes $54, buckwheat $12.50, apples $30 and honey something over $500, making a total of $2,302.50. This would seem to show that farming is a vocation which offers as good a return for toil as anything that can be engaged in.

Scott Reunion.

The second annual reunion of the descendants of Johnathan and Sally Scott will be held at Alparon Park, Troy, June 10. All relatives are cordially invited.

NOTICE.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the district Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of Hiram C. Crandall, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 1194. To the creditors of Hiram C. Crandall, of New Albany, in the county of Bradford, and the district aforesaid a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of May, A. D., 1908, the said Hiram C. Crandall was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in the Borough of Towanda, Pa., on the 23d day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. John W. Codding, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Lehigh Money in Sayre.

Lehigh Valley employees received $10,0000 more in Sayre this month than they received last month. Friday the Lehigh paid $136,000 to its employees in the shop town and one month ago the pay rolls amounted to $126,000. This looks like an improvement in financial conditions. The normal pay received by Lehigh employees living in Sayre, is about $180,000 per month.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. Correct any constipation by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated.

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WANT ADS

RATES.—25 cents for first insertion under 50 words; one-half cent a word each time thereafter, with minimum charge of 10 cents for the second consecutive insertion of any adv. These advs. have brought great results in many cases. Try one.

WANTED.

YOUNG man desiring to learn the drug business can hear of desirable position by addressing "Drugs," care Reporter-Journal. 7may-tf

TO BUY—4 or 5 good fresh milch cows. Allen P. Nichols, R. F. D. No. 2, Towanda, Pa. s14may*

100 CATTLE to pasture on Barclay Mountain; Herdsmen, plenty of water and shade; terms, $3 per head per season, or 75c per head per month. Address, R. A. Smith, Laquin, Pa. apr22-tf

WANTED—Immediately $2,000 loan to extend established business, and to fill existing orders paying large profits. Will pay good interest, and give strictly first class security. Address, Businessman, care Reporter-Journal.

FOR SALE.

SECOND-HAND Stanley Steamer Runabout, cheap for cash. A. T. Morse, Canton, Pa., R. F. D. 72 1t

BEST dry batteries sold at any price for Telephone or Automobile use. Only 25 cents at Towanda Gas Office. C. P. Welles. 12may-d6t-w2t

FOR SALE—90 acres timber, 100,000 feet logs (banked), 1 yoke oxen 7 years old, 5 horses and colts, 40 building lots, 5 houses and lots, in Troy. Address, Ezra Baxter, Troy, Pa. s28may*

I OFFER for sale my farm and house and lot, both situate in Towanda Township, Bradford County, Pa. Will sell upon easy terms and give possession at once. Patrick Haley, 1812 Stiles St., Philadelphia, Pa. Also inquire or write to William Maxwell, Towanda, Pa. 9apr-tf

4 AND 5 PER CENT. gold bonds, perfect security. Refer to First National Bank, Towanda, Farmers Bank, Athens. Large safe with inside burglar proof vault; smaller safe only $20. C. P. Welles, Towanda. 26martf

FOR SALE—A desirable judgment against good mercantile brick property in Towanda Borough, bearing 6 per cent. interest. Inquire of Chas. M. Hall, Attorney-at-Law, 408 Main St., Towanda, Pa. feb26-tf

TWO good farms in Wyalusing township. The Elias Vaughan homestead, containing 130 acres, and the Frazer homestead of 70 acres. Inquire on premises, or address, Mrs. N. L. Hollon, Wyalusing, Pa. 15aug-tf

FIVE farms, seven houses and lots, 50 building lots. For description inquire of S. Bergen Park, Towanda, Pa. 14feb-tf

ONE pair good work horses. Inquire of J. G. Kuhnle, R. F. D. No. 8, Towanda. 19mar

PENSIONS.

SOLDIERS' and Widows' Claims filed and settled.

WIDOWS' Accrued Pension; no extra charge. Need not leave home; send letter with Pension Certificate. I do the rest. 30 years' successful experience.

s1jly* JOHN A. CODDING.

NOTICE.

COLONEL, JR., will stand every Wednesday at the Kinney Barn in Wysox, and the balance of time at the barn of the undersigned in Macedonia. s28may* JOHN W. McCRACKEN.

JOHN ROGERS & SON, Ulster, General Blacksmiths, are open for business. Make a specialty of shoeing for all diseases of the feet. 21may-4t

WM. GILES of Pittston, has opened a general store in the Quinlan Block, Ulster. Buys all kinds of produce; sells everything. Give him a call. 1t

ALL PERSONS having relatives buried in the Orwell Cemetery or owning lots, can have said lots mowed and kept in order this season on payment of 35 cents to the Association. Remittances should be made before May 30, if possible. Orwell Cemetery Association. W. K. Frisbie, president; J. C. Stoll, treasurer; D. W. Cowles, secretary. 21may3t